

CARRANZA PLANS ATTACK ON VILLA

Washington Officials
Watch Military Situation
in Central Mexico

REQUEST INFORMATION

Believe Impending Battle Will
Have An Imporation Effect on
Political Future of Country

BROWNSVILLE SECTION QUIET

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Administration officials here are watching the military situation in Central Mexico, where Carranza's forces are planning to launch a general attack against the Villa army in the near future, either at Torreon or Chihuahua.

Ask For Information.

American consuls at Torreon, Saltillo, Monclova, and other neighboring towns have been asked for all available information regarding the troop movements. A message received tonight and dated yesterday said Villa troops recently driven from Saltillo by General Obregon began arriving there last night.

Unofficial reports have reached Washington that General Villa is planning to evacuate Torreon and to concentrate his forces at Chihuahua for the struggle with Obregon, Trevino and other Carranza generals. The forthcoming battle, it is recognized here probably will have an important effect upon the political future of the country.

Plans are Not Completed.

Secretary Lansing said today that plans for the meeting of the Pan-American conference next week had not been completed. Villa and his adherents are going ahead with preparations for a peace convention and already have chosen their delegates. What the conferees will do about arrangements for the convention in view of Carranza's apparent attitude of defiance has not yet been disclosed.

Carranza's answer to the peace appeal, his agents here expect will arrive before the Pan-American conference assembles. The rapid advance of Carranza's forces in Central Mexico during the last few weeks has aroused the optimism of his Washington representatives who now assert that his complete domination of the situation soon will be so apparent as to demonstrate the reason for seeking recognition and his unwillingness to confer with his military adversaries.

Brownsville Section Quiet.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 8.—The first day of the army's new policy of control over the river front in the Brownsville section passed without a report of a shot being fired across the international line.

In line with the new policy of policing the river front more strictly, a new cavalry patrol was established today on the river between Brownsville and the Gulf of Mexico and another patrol was stationed about fifteen miles above Brownsville.

The arrival today at Harlingen of the sixth cavalry from Texas City, doubled the cavalry forces available for river patrol duty. The sixth cavalry rested tonight at Harlingen, a few miles north of Brownsville, awaiting assignment to stations.

Find Printed Circulars.

In the streets of Mercedes this morning a dozen printed circulars were found calling on Mexicans to rise and conquer the states of California, Arizona, Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Mississippi and rename them the 'Republic of Texas.' The circulars were written in Spanish. They declared that 'outrages are being committed daily on defenseless women, old men and children of our race.'

They boasted that Mexicans were sufficiently strong to rise in revolt. San Antonio, Texas, was given as headquarters of the manifesto. It was signed by the names of Luis de la Rosa and Antonio Pizano, the alleged leaders of the bandits which last week killed two Americans and whose house near Harlingen, Texas, was searched and burned by peace officers a few days ago. Identical circulars were found at other points nearby last week.

It was reported that more posts were sent to bank vaults in San Benito today by Mexican who, taking advantage of last night's mass meeting, offered to co-operate in restoring peace.

Further efforts by civil authorities to restore peace were made in a meeting today of mayors or their representatives from five cities. They met at Mercedes at the call of Mayor E. E. Evans of that city. Other places represented were Brownsville, Harlingen, San Benito and Donna.

SEVERE STORM DOES HEAVY DAMAGE TO CORN

HUNDREDS OF ACRES BETWEEN GALESBURG AND PEORIA ARE LEVELLED

Strip Fifteen Miles Wide Is Affected
—Farmer Is Killed Near Galesburg, When Silo Is Blown Over on Him—Buildings Are Unroofed at Ottawa.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 8.—A severe wind and rain storm swept over the counties of Knox, Peoria and Tazewell late today and caused damage to the corn crop estimated at many thousands of dollars. The storm broke suddenly and the wind attained a velocity of 40 miles and hour levelling hundreds of acres of corn between Galesburg and Peoria, a strip 15 miles wide being affected. Early reports that Galesburg, Macomb, Jacksonville, Elmwood and Monmouth has been swept by a cyclone proved to be an exaggeration. Wire communication with towns to the west of Peoria was cut off for two hours but tonight most of the lines were again working.

The storm broke at Galesburg at 3 o'clock. The damage done by wind is nominal. Jacksonville tonight reported rain with no wind. Peoria apparently received the full force of the storm. Signs boards and trees were torn loose in many sections of the city. Boatmen reported no lives lost, although a score of boats were caught unawares and were unable to make a landing until after the storm.

Silo Blows Over; Kills Farmer.

Galesburg, Ill., Sept. 8.—A heavy wind and rain storm here this evening resulted in one death and damage to many buildings and trees throughout the city. John Prendergast, sixty years old, living in the suburbs was killed when a silo was blown over on him.

Buildings Are Unroofed.

Ottawa, Ill., Sept. 8.—Property damage throughout a wide area hereabouts resulted from a severe wind and rain storm late this afternoon. Buildings were unroofed in this city and in the surrounding country farmers suffered considerable damage.

Sweeps Over Central Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 8.—A severe electrical storm swept over Central Illinois this afternoon and evening. The rain in this vicinity was light, but break lightning played in the skies. The train service was unhampered.

Wire Communication Interrupted.

Kansas City, Sept. 8.—A violent storm which centered in Kansas City swept over eastern Kansas and western Missouri late today. The storm here was marked by 0.6 inches of rainfall in less than half an hour, a 46 mile wind and much electricity. Wire communication was interrupted but apparently the storm damage was not great.

DHNE ASKS PEOPLE TO AID IN STAMPING OUT CATLE DISEASE

Requests That no Gatherings be Held
Within a Radius of Twenty-Five
Miles of Farms Now Under Quarantine.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 8.—Governor Dunne issued tonight a proclamation requesting of the people of the state that no picnics, political or social gatherings be held in rural communities or country towns within a radius of twenty-five miles of farms now under quarantine because of foot and mouth disease.

The executive has written to the members of the state board of agriculture, which has charge of the Illinois State Fair concerning the course to be pursued during the exhibition, to avoid the spread of the plague. It was hinted that he would urge the abandonment of the livestock exhibit.

Members of the board of agriculture who are to meet today at Kankakee said today that they would resist any action by the governor to harm the state fair attendance.

Quarantine Three Townships.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Quarantine for foot and mouth disease of Augusta and St. Mary townships in Hancock county and Birmingham township in Schuyler county, Illinois, was announced tonight by the department of agriculture. Although the present outbreak of the disease in Illinois has been confined to the counties in which it originated, 150 herds have become infected.

REDFIELD ADDRESSES MEETING OF U. S. SANITARY OFFICERS

ROCHESTER, Sept. 8.—Speaking tonight at an open meeting of the United States sanitary officers held in connection with the annual convention of the American Public Health association in Central Presbyterian church, William C. Redfield, secretary of commerce, urged American citizens to view with sober minds the slaughter abroad and to look a little under the surface of things in their own country and consider ways of preventing what he called the slaughters of peace; those of industry and preventable diseases. Incidentally he gave it as his opinion that the recovery of Europe's economic forces from the effects of the war would be slow and he urged as an example to bear out his view the slow recovery of Virginia from the effects of the Civil war.

GERMANY'S NOTE IS GIVEN TO GERARD

Ascribes Destruction of
the Arabic to an Act
of Self Defense

EXPRESSES DEEP REGRET

Note Reveals in Detail Instructions
to Submarine Officers
Regarding Liners' Treatment

THINK HESPERIAN HIT MINE

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—Via London.—Sept. 9.—Germany's note to the United States concerning the sinking of the White Star Line Steamer Arabic by a German submarine was communicated to James W. Gerard, the American ambassador yesterday evening. The note ascribes the destruction of the liner to an act of self defense on the part of the submarine, expresses the German government's deep regret that American lives were lost thereby and offers to refer the questions for reparation and compensation to The Hague for adjustment.

The note reveals in detail the instructions to submarine commanders concerning their treatment of liners. They are ordered not to attack a passenger steamer except in case of an attempt to escape after it is ordered to halt or unless its actions indicate an intention to attack the submarine.

German naval experts assert that there is no other course open to submarines under the present conditions when, they assert, every merchantman, from liner down to fishing smack, is a presumptive enemy and perhaps carrying guns and ready to seize any opportunity to attack the vulnerable submarine by gun fire or by ramming.

Believe Hesperian Struck Mine.

New York, Sept. 8.—Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador, received a wireless dispatch from Berlin late today from the German foreign office in which the statement is made that it appears improbable that the Hesperian was torpedoed and that it was much more likely the boat ran into a mine.

Expect Note In a Few Days.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Germany's promised communication in regard to the sinking of the White Star Line Arabic is expected here within a few days in view of press dispatches today announcing that a submarine commander had reported to Berlin that he torpedoed the Arabic because he thought her changes of course meant that she intended to attack him.

Officials did not comment on the press reports. Through Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, assurances have been given that full satisfaction will be accorded. The United States in connection with the destruction of the Arabic, on which American passengers lost their lives. Consequently while some officials indicated that the submarine commander's explanation seemed unconvincing, there will be no judgment until Berlin is heard from formally.

Ask Gerard for Information.

In the meantime attention is being given the case of the Allan liner Hesperian. Secretary Lansing today cabled Ambassador Gerard at Berlin asking that he report any information which might be available there. Although all reports from London are to the effect that the Hesperian was torpedoed, the belief that she struck a mine still is prevalent in naval circles here.

No confirmation has been received so far of reports that an American named Wolfe, a member of the crew, was lost with the Hesperian. It was pointed out that the situation would not be changed if his proved to be true. The American government has taken the ground that the placing of American lives in jeopardy by illegal acts is as grave an offense against the rights of a neutral nation as the actual destruction of life.

MAN IS STABBED TWICE IN FIGHT GROWING OUT OF STRIKE

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—Lewis Jacobs, manager of the Superior Bedding Works was stabbed twice this afternoon in an altercation growing out of a strike of 400 mattress makers. Three other employees of the company were severely beaten. Three men were arrested an hour later. One was taken after a running pistol fight with a policeman.

The Superior Bedding Works employees are not on strike. It is said the strikers demanded they walk out in sympathy with the strike at other plants.

STORM NOGALES DEFENSES.

Nogales, Ariz., Sept. 8.—Carranza troops tonight began storming the outer defenses at Nogales, Sonora, just across the international boundary from here. The attacking forces were said to number 4,000 men. Governor Maytorena, Villa defender of the town is believed to have a garrison of 5,000 soldiers, mostly Yaqui Indians.

MUNITIONS EXPORTS INCREASE ENORMOUSLY

SHIPMENTS DURING JULY AGGREGATED NEARLY \$50,000,000

Principal Increase Compared With
June Exports Is in the Classification
of "All Other Explosives"—
Automobiles Only Item to
Material Decrease.

Washington, Sept. 8.—American exports of war supplies are increasing enormously now that converted munitions plants are getting into full swing. Figures made public tonight by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce show that shipments of horses, mules, automobiles, aeroplanes and explosives, all classed as war supplies, aggregated nearly \$50,000,000 in July.

The principal increase compared with June exports was in the classification of "all other explosives," including shells and others ammunition of special manufacture which jumped from \$5,911,329 to \$9,329,303. Automobiles, the only item to show a material decrease, decreased from \$14,500,000 to \$11,000,000.

Horses and mules to the value of \$12,600,000 were exported in July as against \$10,500,000; 133 aeroplanes valued at \$880,836 were shipped, compared with 62 machines worth \$283,212 in June.

July exports of cartridges were valued at \$2,427,761, about the same as the preceding month; of dynamite \$100,899, a slight increase and of gun powder \$4,567,929 compared with \$3,234,549 in June.

BELIEVE COMMISSION IS WITHIN FEW HOURS OF NEW YORK HARBOR

Time of Arrival Will Not Be Known
Until Ship Reaching
Them is Set at Quarantine.

New York, Sept. 8.—The six English and French financiers on their way to this city to borrow a huge sum of money, popularly estimated at half a billion dollars or more, with which to pay for American supplies for the allied armies and other imports from this country, were believed to be within a few hours sail of New York harbor at 10 o'clock tonight. The date of their sailing from England and the name of the ship which they are aboard, have been withheld by the British censor, hence the time of their arrival will not be known definitely until the vessel bringing them is met off quarantine by the customs and health officers.

On the eve of their expected arrival here, it was learned from unofficial sources tonight that not only would they represent their own countries in negotiations here, but in all probability would act for Russia as well.

Passengers reaching here today aboard the steamer Ryndam told of reports of the imminence of the commission's departure from England when they left Rotterdam and, in addition, brought word of their preparation and plans which the British censor apparently had barred from the cables.

ELEVEN JURYMEN TENTATIVELY PASSED BY STATE IN BELL TRIAL

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 8.—Eleven of the twelve men in the jury box in the case of Mayor Joseph E. Bell on trial for alleged election conspiracy had been tentatively passed by the state when court adjourned today. A challenge for cause had been made against the twelfth and Judge W. H. Fishburn announced he would make his ruling tomorrow.

Legal fights between counsel for Mayor Bell and for the state were numerous over questions asked by Joseph Roach, special assistant prosecutor. Frequently they became heated and the court had to admonish the attorneys against indulging in personalities.

LETTER CARRIERS NAME DALLAS FOR THE NEXT BIENNIAL MEETING

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 8.—Dallas, Texas, was selected for the next biennial meeting of the National association of Letter Carriers at the closing session of the convention today.

Edward J. Gahner, Munice, Ind., was elected president; A. L. Tharp, New York City, vice president; E. J. Cantwell, Brooklyn, N. Y., secretary and Charles D. Duffy, Chicago, Ill., treasurer.

M. T. Finnan, Bloomington, Ill.; C. P. Hanlon, Boston, Mass.; W. Maher, Omaha; R. F. Quinn, Philadelphia and F. M. Truax, St. Paul, Minn., were elected to the executive board.

A short business meeting will be held tomorrow to take up unfinished business. The delegates were entertained by the Knights of Ak Sar Ben tonight.

TUMULTUOUS SCENES MARK CONVENTION

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Tumultuous scenes marked the 35th annual convention of the Negro Baptists today and only the presence of policemen prevented innumerable fist fights.

At the afternoon session heated arguments over a proposed new charter was followed by a struggle for possession of a megaphone which but for the police might have developed into a free fight.

GOMPERS DEFENDS TEACHERS' UNION

Addresses Mass Meeting
Called as Protest Against
of Board's Action

OTHER LEADERS SPEAK

Business Agent of Teachers'
Federation and Two Labor Leaders
Call on State's Attorney

ASK GRAND JURY ACTION?

CHICAGO, Sep. 8.—Labor leaders of the state and nation rallied tonight to the defense of the Chicago Teachers' Federation, an organization affiliated with the Chicago Federation of Labor and recently interdicted by the city's board of education.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, John H. Walker, president of the state federation of labor and John Fitzpatrick, president of the local federation addressed a mass meeting in the Auditorium Theatre called as a protest against the action of the school board. Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of the department of the interior, also was a speaker.

Visit State's Attorney.

Margaret Haley, business agent of the teachers' organization, Edward Nickols and Vic Olander, secretaries respectively of the Chicago and state federations of labor, called on the state's attorney late today. Their visit was said to have been in connection with charges that a conspiracy to disrupt the teachers' federation existed and that grand jury action had been asked. It was also reported, but without confirmation, that Miss Haley presented the prosecutor with evidence tending to show irregularities in certain transactions involving school real-estate.

Mr. Gompers described the action of the board of education in abolishing the federation as "the financial activities of crooked and shoddy business to stop the dissemination and cultivation of the principle of democracy and the principle of co-operative action."

Did Not Charge Impairment.

"We do not propose to allow trickery to rob us of the benefit of manhood, womanhood and liberty," he said. "If the federation had directly or indirectly impaired the efficiency of four teachers, there would have been ground for complaint. Even then the right course would have been for members of the board of education to confer with members of the federation. But no such charge was made. No one has even hinted much less charged, that teachers had become less efficient, or that they would have become more efficient without the federation's existence."

"Humanity has not yet learned the debt it owes to the teachers. I understand that eachers in Chicago are under paid. But for the federation this condition would be far worse."

"The American Federation of Labor stands firmly behind the teachers in their fight to save the federation and I believe that every true-hearted citizen in the state of Illinois will fall in line."

TWO SUSPECTS ARE HELD IN ARMOUR BURGLARY CASE

Mrs. Armour Declares She Cannot
Stand Ordeal of Trial and Will
Prosecute No One for the Bur-
glary.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Two suspects were held by the authorities tonight while detectives visited police stations in an effort to apprehend among the prisoners the two men who on Monday night burglarized the home of Mrs. J. Ogden Armour, the wife of the millionaire packer and escaped with currency and jewelry valued at more than \$3,000.

Earlier in the day Mrs. Armour was asked to attempt to identify several suspects, among whom was Melville Reeves, known as the "Sky-scraper Burglar," who was released after Mrs. Armour declared he was not one of the two men sought. Tonight Mrs. Armour declared she could not stand the ordeal of a trial and that she would prosecute no one for the burglary.

Police of other cities have been asked to search for "In and Out" Davis and "Nig" Graham, who are suspected of having a hand in the robbery.

FILE AFFIDAVIT IN FERGUS CASE

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 8.—Assistant Attorney General Roy filed an appeal of the J. B. Fergus injunction suit tying up the state funds to the supreme court this afternoon. A motion was made by the state that the case be taken up at the October term. Cross errors were filed in behalf of Fergus by his Springfield attorneys.

RUSSIANS ATTEMPT TO REGAIN INITIATIVE

AUSTRO-GERMANS CONTINUE TO IN-
CREASE ADVANTAGE IN CENTER

Von Hindenburg Is Being Denied His
Objective, the Dvina River—Von
Mackensen Is Engaged in Opposing
the Russian Offensive.

London, Sept. 8.—Simultaneous with the announcement that the Emperor personally has replaced Grand Duke Nicholas as commander of the Russian forces, the fighting along the eastern frontier, despite the beginning of the autumn rains, has been resumed with the intensity which characterized it throughout the summer on both wings in Courland, in the north and in Volynia, Podolia and East Galicia.

In the south the Russians are making determined efforts to regain the initiative while in the center the Austro-Germans continue to increase their advantage. Thus Field Marshal Von Hindenburg and his commanders in Courland still are being denied their objective, the Dvina river, while Field Marshal Von Mackensen and the Austrian general at the other end of the line are engaged in opposing the Russian offensive. In the center, on the other hand, Lieutenant General Von Eichhorn and Prince Leopold of Bavaria are pushing forward, and according to the Berlin reports, have occupied Wolkowsk, an important railway junction immediately east of Bialystok. It is for these railways that the Germans are fighting, as when the autumn rains turn a great part of the country into an impassable morass they will need every line of railway to keep their armies supplied with provisions and munitions.

Another day of heavy artillery engagements is recorded on the western front where also there has been a series of air raids, as well as bombardment of the German coast batteries by the British fleet. The Austrians claim to have captured several Austrian positions.

STATES AMERICANS SHOULD INSIST TRADE BE RESTORED

J. J. Arnold States England Is Ob-
taining World Trade by Contra-
band Regulations.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—John J. Arnold, vice-president and head of the foreign exchange department of the First National Bank, addressing the association of commerce today said that England's foreign trade is steadily growing while she keeps many American factories busy making war supplies.

"The trade in munitions will end with the war but the trade England is now building will last," said Mr. Arnold. "It is a cunning game to obtain the world trade denied to the United States by the contraband regulations."

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PREDICTS UNPRECEDENTED PROSPERITY FOR THE UNITED STATES

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels predicted unprecedented peaceful prosperity for the United States as an outcome of the crisis which has been hovering over the country for many months, in an address tonight at the annual banquet of the Federation of Trade Press associations. He asserted that the power of the United States as a military nation in the future is not going to be estimated by the number of men in its army and navy or the amount of munitions it can muster but that its strength will depend on advances in chemistry.

TO REORGANIZE FORCES AT ANNAPOLIS

Washington, Sept. 8.—Secretary Daniels today announced a general re-organization of the forces of the naval academy at Annapolis. Heads of nearly all departments were ordered detached for duty elsewhere the changes to be effective September 20th. The re-organization is a result of the recent investigation of the academy.

RUSSIANS REPORT SUCCESS.

Petrograd, Sept. 8.—via London, Sept. 9.—Near Tarnopol the Russians have defeated the third German division and the forty eighth reserve division with an Austrian brigade, capturing 8,000 prisoners and thirty guns, besides a quick firer, according to an official statement issued tonight at the war office.

DUMBA LEAVES FOR SUMMER EMBASSY

Will Await Word From
Lansing Regarding Ex-
planation of Letter

DISCUSS SITUATION

President Walks Over to State
Department and Confers With
Lansing Regarding Affair

TO PROCEED WITH PLANS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Dr. Constantin Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador left late today for the summer embassy at Lennox, Mass., to await word from Secretary Lansing as to whether the United States government is satisfied with his explanation of his intercepted letter to the Vienna foreign office outlining plans for withdrawing Austro-Hungarian labor and handicapping American plants manufacturing war supplies.

Makes Issue More Serious.

The ambassador's statement to Mr. Lansing yesterday that he was acting under instructions from his government in all that he planned to do apparently has made a diplomatic issue of the affair far more serious than a mere question of ethics or propriety involving only Dr. Dumba himself.

Silence on the subject was observed again today at the white house and state department and so far as is known no decision has been reached as to what course shall be adopted. The president carrying the cable copy of the ambassador's letter, walked over to the department during the morning, surprised Secretary Lansing in his office and spent fifteen minutes discussing the situation. It was the first time a president had done such a thing since the Spanish war days.

Seeks Co-operation in Program.

Before leaving Washington, Ambassador Dumba called at the department of labor to seek co-operation in his program for providing new employment for workmen who are expected to walk out of the munitions plants. Secretary Wilson was not in his office but he talked with acting Secretary Denmore. It is no secret in official circles that the administration would not countenance any sort of participation in such a movement.

To Go Ahead With Plans.

It is understood that the ambassador proposes to go ahead with his plans without regard to the attitude of the American government. At the embassy today it was emphasized that the only step thus far ordered in the instructions from Vienna was the issuance of a proclamation calling upon all Austro-Hungarian subjects to obey the decree of their government against aiding in the manufacture of war munitions for the enemy.

A decree similar to this one, it was recalled tonight, was issued some time ago by Germany, although it attracted but little comment. It is stated that soon after the decree was proclaimed most of the Germans employed in munitions plants, chiefly in executive or scientific departments, quietly sought other positions without awaiting for intruding by diplomatic agencies.

WARDEN MICHAEL ZIMMER FORMALLY TAKES CHARGE OF JOLIET PRISON

JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 8.—Warden Michael Zimmer formally took charge of the penitentiary here today. A full report of the boxing program on Sunday and Labor Day was sent to Governor Dunne.

Deputy Warden Ryan's statement that he acted in good faith and according to what he believed was permissible in the prison were verified by the report, together with the statements of eleven witnesses.

During Warden Allen's regime nearly every holiday was devoted to amateur boxing bouts for the entertainment of the prisoners.

Governor Dunne ordered the Labor Day bouts stopped, but his message didn't reach Ryan until after the program had been started.

WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois: Thundershowers Thursday with cooler in east and south portions; Friday generally fair.		
Temperatures.		
Jacksonville . . .	69	88
Boston . . .	74	80
Buffalo . . .	74	78
New York . . .	72	82
New Orleans . . .	74	76
Chicago . . .	72	86
Detroit . . .	80	86
Omaha . . .	66	72
St. Paul . . .	69	66
Helena . . .	59	62
San Francisco . . .	64	74
Winnipeg . . .	54	60



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AFTER LAW VIOLATORS.

There has been considerable complaint of late from those in charge of the drags of empty coal cars being taken south on the Burlington road to the coal fields in southern Illinois. The complaint is in reference to those who go to Beardstown where they indulge in liquor excess, get on the empty cars in the railroad yard in Beardstown and when the trains are approaching this city and are coming up the grade on Illinois avenue they operate the air brake and bring the train to a standstill, then jump off and disappear in the darkness, before the difficulty can be located by any of the train crew. This action has become a nuisance and the officials of the road have given orders to have it averted.

In consequence of this order W. C. Heaton, special agent of the C. & O. R. R. Co., with readquarters in Beardstown, was in the city Wednesday and said in conversation with a Journal reporter that he had orders to stamp out the practice and that he was taking steps which he thought would end the trouble in a short time. Such an act is reported as punishable with a fine of from \$25 to \$100 and if fined a few times it would go a long way towards bringing the nuisance to an end.

Dr. L. W. Fulton of New Berlin was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

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Just Manners.

"Manners," some one says, "are the minor morals." Say rather they are the outside symptoms of good morals. For good manners rise from consideration for others; they are the testimony to our recognition of the principle that no man liveth to himself.

So a little thing as not interrupting another person is our acceptance of every one's right to that same privilege we challenge for ourselves of being heard. A green youth overcame by his own sapience, making himself heard loudly and listening little, is set down not merely as deficient in training and etiquette, but as lacking in common sense. And anyone whom the music of his own vain tongue doth ravish like enchanting harmony exhibits a rarely poor judgment of the relative importance of things. Mayhap it doesn't seem closely allied to morality that a man rises when a lady enters the room, but it is. Among savages they don't do that sort of thing; force alone compels respect. Other qualities is the reflection of his truer sense of values.

The other day we saw a young girl, 17 or 18, perhaps, listening quietly and attentively while her father told a story she had heard often. One sees so much of inattention and smirking deprecation of father's or mother's habits that it was a pleasant thing. We credit that little lady with far more than mere good training, with the right kind of heart. For truly good manners mean more than technique; they bespeak the true man and the true woman, too.

State Government.

The United States bureau of animal industry is the chief fighter of foot and mouth disease in Illinois. The Illinois state board of live stock commissioners is merely a collaborating body under the terms of Governor Dunne's proclamation, issued Jan. 25 last.

A resolution was offered by President Jerrems of the Chicago Live Stock Exchange in the foot and mouth disease conference held Monday, calling upon Governor Dunne to "promptly employ every possible resource at his command to aid the federal bureau in its campaign of suppression and prevention of the spread of the disease that the bureau's plans of eradication may become immediately effective."

This was construed by the state board and state veterinarian as a direct slap at their work in the disease campaign. Says the Drovers Journal But president Jerrems declared it was a move to let the farmers know that the meeting was in favor of bringing into force every resource of the state at the time of emergency.

The state and federal disease fighters have in the main co-operated, but there has been hitches at times, and only recently, which doubtless have handicapped the work. The Jerrems resolution was in order and should have prevailed. It would have given the country assurance of state co-operation which just now it seems to be shy of.

The Mexican Situation.

Col. George Harvey, in the September number of the North American Review, severely criticizes President Wilson for his attitude toward Mexico, and says that the course of the administration from the first has been a series of blunders which has cost both countries dearly. Of even greater significance, in Col. Harvey's opinion, is the doubt which the attitude of the President has thrown upon the value of American citizenship, a matter which concerns the honor of the nation. Col. Harvey blames what he terms the Wilson psychology for everything. He says:

"The crux of the President's blundering is to be found in his misconception of his own functions. Impressed by his unprecedented quick elevation from a college professorship to the most exalted position on earth, convinced of the popularity of the hazy theories whose fascinating articulation had charmed the people, flushed by his success in subordinating a co-ordinate branch of the government to his will, isolated and feared, he unconsciously, but inevitably assumed the attitude of one divinely appointed to conserve humanity in new and striking ways—and forgot for the moment that he was quite a fallible and far from omniscient being, who in reality had only been elected President of the United States charged with the performance of certain official tasks specifically defined by fundamental law."

The writer, however, does not question the president's sincerity. On this point he says:

"Throughout all of his backing and filling his repeated intervening without making his interference effectual his alternating laving and lifting of embargoes, his vague threatnings promptly rendered obsolete by assurances that he would not employ force, his subsequent using of the army and navy upon an ab-

surd pretext, only to withdraw them at the moment when a restraining influence was most needed, his petulant defying of public journals, which were only performing their duty; his prospective chucking as the one who laughs last, his cynical abandoning of both Mexicans and Americans to their fate, because forsooth, Europeans were also spilling blood, his strident pledging to leave the tortured country alone and to compel all others to do likewise, only to resume meddling as soon as a disfavored faction seemed likely to gain ascendancy throughout all of these turnings, twisting and incredibly inconsistent doings there has never arisen a doubt of the sincerity of his purpose to 'serve to Mexico' and to 'serve mankind'."

Col. Harvey's opinion of the Mexican policy of the administration is much the same as that held by former President Taft, who said in a recent speech:

"Our policy of so-called but mis-called watchful waiting has dragged on greatly lately to the detriment of all concerned. Now the anarchy for which we are in part responsible has developed raids into the United States and the killing of our people with the very weapons of war which our unwise lifting of the embargo against the importation of arms into Mexico furnished our assailants."

"I only refer to our Mexican policy by way of illustration in warning you that the policy now being pursued in the Philippines of which we hear little in the noise and excitement of the European war, is in the end likely to return to plague us and command our attention much as Mexican affairs are thrusting themselves upon us now."

The House: Its Unique Problems in Hygiene.

A house erected in accord with art must satisfy a few apparently simple needs. These have been summarized in the following words: protection from the elements, from cold and heat, from rain and snow and damp, from intruders who might interfere with the family safety or possessions; water at hand; some way of getting rid of waste; space for the family, for all their occupations and belongings; room for a guest; these were sought by, even the cave dwellers. And we have not passed beyond these simple needs. Our enemies are of a different kind but the daily paper shows that we must pay for safety locks; and while wild animals no longer prow about, we find it almost impossible to keep out rats and mice and harmful insects. The "house" fly is now called a "typhoid" fly, and not permitted even as a casual visitor. To all these needs we have added what the cave man did not seek for, since his life was largely out of doors. We must have air and sun within doors. Doctors are now talking about house diseases. Tuberculosis is one of these, and the fight against it must be made, in part, just here. It is for sun and air that we have to pay large rents in town; and it is partly to secure these in our large dwellings that tenement house commissions exist, to protect those who cannot protect themselves. Then, too, there must be protection against fire, not only by the fire department but also in the house itself. Modern nerves, moreover, demand quiet. We may want our own phonograph, but we do not care to hear our neighbor's, and walls and floors must be built to keep out sounds. We call these simple needs. They would seem to be human rights; but even now, in this twentieth century, how many houses rank 100 per cent. in all these: in warmth, and coolness at proper seasons; perfect dryness, ventilation and lighting; safety from fire and intruders; and room for each member of the family to be himself, and to keep an open door to guests? Yet, says The Journal of the American Medical Association, we cannot be as well or as happy or as useful as we should, until these are achieved.

Only a few years ago, such subjects were regarded by some as beneath the dignity of scientific investigation. The way in which our homes are run, or, in more technical terms, the science of home economics is now in much the position that scientific agriculture was in twenty or thirty years ago. The leaders had shown that science can improve crops, and some of the more progressive farmers were giving the new ideas a more practical test; but many of the rank and file were still doubtful whether such study was worth while. Few farmers of today, however, would care to go back to the days before modern stations, fertilizers, control and other modern improvements. The creation of a home, to be as efficient as possible includes many different kinds of questions. It makes necessary much study along many lines, just as agriculture has included problems as different as those of insect pests and cheese making. In solving agricultural problems, every intelligent farmer has done his part as well as the special investigators in the laboratory. In the same way, every intelligent housekeeper who studies the household problems of cooking, cleaning and furnishing, and tries to solve them with the help of both practical experience and scientific household management can be as accurately planned as that of the factory and the farm.

GRAND OPENING, SEPT. 15th.

ATTEND HERMAN'S GRAND FALL OPENING OF LIES' READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS AND MILLINERY WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 15th. EVERYBODY WELCOME.

DELEGATES TO CONFERENCE.

Delegates to the Mississippi Valley Anti-Tuberculosis conference were announced at a meeting of the Morgan County Anti-Tuberculosis league Tuesday evening. They are Mrs. A. L. Adams, Dr. Josephine Milligan, Dr. T. O. Hardesty, Miss Katherine Olmsted, Miss Grace Carter and Dr. Grace Dewey.

A FINE TRIBUTE TO THE OLD FELLOWS' HOME

J. S. Magill Tells of the Institution and What It Accomplishes For Old and Disabled Members.

As is generally known the Illinois home for Old Fellows is located at Mattoon and receives without charge aged and disabled members of the order unable to provide themselves with the means of livelihood. Persons entering are expected to bring two suits of clothes and nothing else is demanded of them and when they need more garments they are provided by the institution. Persons entering get no sick benefits or other favors from their lodges but they are not needed at all.

The institution owns 160 acres of good land and it produces vegetables in abundance and a goodly part of the living of the old people in the place. The main building contains 160 rooms in three stories and all is finely finished with concrete floors and marble about the rooms. There is a bath room on each floor with hot and cold water, a library and reading, a smoking room, adjoining and attached to the building is the department for the Rebekahs, about twenty in number. The reading room is well supplied with papers and periodicals, a piano and various appliances for making time pass pleasantly.

They have a commodious kitchen, a laundry, electric light plant and other conveniences. In addition they have a house for the farmer and his family, a barn, carpenter shop, implement and other houses. They also have an excellent hotel two stories high recently completed and finely finished with marble and hard wood. In this there are thirty rooms and at present there are 14 inmates in the building. They have a special cook and take pains to get things up well. There are doctors among the members of the institution but when there is a case at all severe a city doctor is called. There are 160 inmates including some twenty Rebekahs; 33 more inmates than last year. There were also last year sixteen deaths and in the Mattoon cemetery a block has been set aside for the members of the home who pass away.

There are 23 persons on the payroll which amounts to \$700 a month and the members do some work. The institution uses 2,000 tons of soft coal a year and other supplies in proportion. The grand lodge appropriates \$35,000 a year to the maintenance of the home. Mr. Magill says that when he went there in June of last year there was a great deal of dissatisfaction and dissension. In part it was the wets against the dries since among so great a variety of nationalities as is to be found in the home many will be fond of drink of one kind or another but it is strictly against the rules and now that Mattoon went dry recently there is less trouble.

Sept. 1, 1914, a change in superintendents was made and Mr. Saylor, a Springfield druggist, was placed in charge and he is a man of whom all things good can be truthfully said and since his advent not a cross word has been heard. He treats all strictly alike and his wife, the matron, is as popular as he is. He is a fine orator, Mr. Magill says next to Bryan, and he sings, says Mr. M. next to Caruso. He provides well for the spiritual welfare and entertainment of the members. The chapel, built by the Rebekahs, will seat some 200 and in it is a fine organ and one may go to the city to church that wants to and generally Sunday afternoon a minister from some city church preaches and brings along his choir. Then they have moving picture shows, lectures and various entertainments so that time passes pleasantly. Last year from less than an acre of land they had 600 gallons of strawberries and they were served in generously sized bowls with plenty of cream and sugar.

Taken all in all Mr. Magill says the home is an ideal place for all who need and are entitled to its benefits and he speaks in the highest terms of praise of Supt. Saylor and Mrs. Saylor.

Mr. Magill is rooming at Mr. Will's, corner Church and West College avenue and expects to be here till Saturday. He is looking quite well and is in fine spirits. All honor to the noble order that provides so well for its aged and needy members.

BROWN'S NIGHT SCHOOL.

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If you are interested in preparing for office work, or if you wish to review the common branches of your course will benefit you.

Fall term opens Monday, Sept. 20. BROWN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING.

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of century church met recently with Mrs. Clyde Richardson at her home on E. College avenue. The hostess was assisted by Miss Gertrude Atkins and Mrs. John Richardson.

After the program of the evening, the election of officers took place. The officers for the coming year are: Miss Emma Hunter, president.

Mrs. Frank Kitner, 1st vice-president.

Mrs. George Fuchs, 2nd vice-president.

Miss Lela Reese, secretary.

Mrs. C. A. Patton, corresponding secretary.

Miss Etta McCarthy, treasurer.

Mrs. Homer Rowland, mite box superintendent.

Delicious refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

FALLS DOWN STAIRS.

Mrs. Larinda Ierson, cook at the Old People's Home, is a patient at Passavant hospital, suffering from injuries received in a fall down the back stairs at the home recently. No bones were broken in the fall.

COMMUNICATION.

Editor Journal:

I find the following story of Clinton's municipal troubles in the Litchfield News-Courier:

"The city of Clinton is practically bankrupt. At a special council meeting Friday night a \$15,500 bond issue was voted. Only bills for labor and other necessities which cannot be held up are being paid. The bond issue will be submitted to the people in October. Several previous bond issues have been defeated. Clinton has the commission form of government. Florio, another Illinois town with commission form of city government is unable to pay its bills."

W. N. Hairgrove.

MR. MARSH HAS NOT ACCEPTED.

S. T. Anderson informed the Journal yesterday that he had not heard of the acceptance by Rev. T. H. Marsh of the call of Decatur. The call was a flattering one and Mr. Marsh may see fit to make the move which will be regretted by his Aurora church.

ARMAND'S PERFECT COMPLEXION POWDER

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THE BACHELOR'S ROMANCE

The Comedy of a Literary Man Who meets his Heroine.
A Quaint Portrayal of a Tender Love.

In this delightful comedy-drama John Emerson portrays the role of David Holmes, the lovable bachelor of the play, a kindly, mildly eccentric literary critic, who runs at the sight of a woman, only to be tripped head over heels in a violent love affair with his young and pretty ward, Sylvia.

Also 14th story

Road C'Strife

5c and 10c

SCOTT'S

5c--HIPPODROME--5c

TONIGHT
TWO BIG FEATURES

RICHARD TRAVERS in

Jane of the Sea

Essanay 2 act drama.

Poetic Justice of Omar Khan

Selig 2 act drama.

WALLY VAN in

His Fairy Godmother

Vitagraph Comedy.

5c--5 Reels of Pictures--5c

COMING

Friday: Two big features:

22th Story Exploits of Elaine,

also MARIN SAIS in "The Der-

elict" -Kalem 2 act drama.

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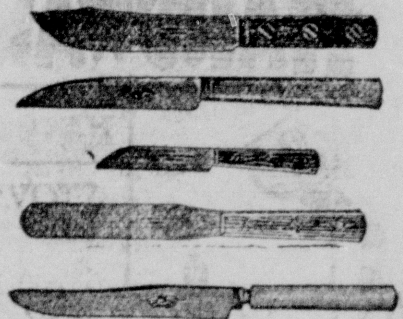
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Each one so refreshing
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CITY AND COUNTY

D. T. Litter was in the city yesterday from Litterberry.
J. H. McNeely of Franklin was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.
F. T. Gale of Rushville had occasion to visit the city yesterday.
Harry Kitter of the west part was a visitor in the city yesterday.
H. Masters of St. Louis was calling on city merchants yesterday.
George Sturdy of Lynnville was in the city on business Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ridder of the shoppers in the city yesterday.
A. T. Ainsworth of Chandlerville was a visitor in the city Tuesday.
Henry Oaks of Bluffs was calling on some of his city friends yesterday.
Mrs. Henry Welborn of Orleans was a shopper in the city yesterday.
Join our Night School Monday, Sept. 20. — BROWN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE.
Mrs. Barbara Ludwig of Alexander has gone to Edina, Mo., for a visit.
Miss Carrie Thompson of Murrayville was a shopper in the city yesterday.
C. E. Stewart of Springfield was a business visitor in the city yesterday.
Madison Bull of Beardstown was a business caller in the city yesterday.
R. Robertson of Edwardsville spent Wednesday in the city on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spires of Franklin were visitors in the city yesterday.
George White of the southeast part of the city visited the city yesterday.
William Stallings of Hillview was transacting business in the city yesterday.
John Frank is attending to business for several days in St. Paul, Minn.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carson of Carrollton were visitors in the city Wednesday.
The Woman's College opens Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 13 and 14. Arrange now for instruction in any department. Speak early for time with any particular teacher.
W. E. Ratiff of Virginia was attending to business in the city yesterday.
Mrs. D. Smith, of Belleville, is in the city for a visit with Mrs. John Nunes.
Miss Lydia M. Barrette, public librarian, will leave today for a vacation visit in Chicago and Davenport.

Mrs. Haynes of Chandlerville was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.
A. J. Hardin and family helped represent Woodson in the city yesterday.
A. C. Sherman of Beardstown was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.
H. A. Ravenscroft of Versailles was a business visitor in the city yesterday.
Hersey Crain of Waverly was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.
Joseph Baker of Monticello was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.
Miss Irene Oxley of the Durbin neighborhood was a city visitor yesterday.
Mrs. Eliza Luttrell of Franklin was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor of Sen Jose are spending a few days in Jacksonville.
Roy Cannon of Naples was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville business men.
Elbert Darling of the vicinity of Litterberry was a visitor in the city Wednesday.
Join our Night School Monday, Sept. 20. — BROWN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE.
George W. Black of New Berlin was among the Wednesday visitors in the city.
E. Friedman of Kansas City was calling on Jacksonville acquaintances yesterday.
Mrs. George Gibson and Miss Ola Gibson were in the city yesterday from Franklin.
Miss Lucy Leake of Joy Prairie was among the ladies calling in the city Wednesday.
John Sibert of East College street has returned from a brief visit in Louisiana, Mo.
Mr. and Mrs. George Phelan of Alexander were calling on city people yesterday.
Edward Peteish of Cass county was attending to business in the city yesterday.
Edward Stubblefield of Brighton, Ill., was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.
Mrs. Ella Reed and two daughters were in the city yesterday from the vicinity of Chapin.
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E. L. Sample of Hutchinson, Kan., attended the funeral of Mrs. Long in the city yesterday.
W. A. Graham of Peoria spent Wednesday in the city looking after business matters.
Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson of Prentice were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.
Philip Rodenberg at Ft. Gale, Ill., was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.
J. J. Clark of Arcadia precinct was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.
J. Bigelow of Lawrence, Michigan, was visiting yesterday with Jacksonville friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fountain of Chapin came to Jacksonville in their auto to do some shopping.
Miss Jeanette Ransford has gone to her home in Virden after a visit with friends in the city.
BROWN'S NIGHT SCHOOL opens Monday, Sept. 20.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hiles of Virginia were in the city yesterday and attended the Long funeral.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cooper of Concord were among the cut of town shoppers in the city Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kidder of Alexander were among the list of shoppers in the city yesterday.
O. E. Tandy and Harry P. Obermeyer went to Springfield Wednesday afternoon in Mr. Tandy's car.
Miss Mary Gleason of Springfield is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Zell at 545 South Main street.
Karl B. Hill is at home from Castle Park, Mich., where he spent a very pleasant vacation of two months.
Gus Maurer was down from Springfield Wednesday attending to business in connection with the new Plaza hotel.
Mrs. J. L. Snyder and her children are at their home on East North street after a visit with relatives in Palmyra, Mo.
Mr. and Mrs. William Leake of Joy Prairie have gone to Patterson, Greene county, to spend a few days with relatives.
Mrs. Minnie Coultas and Mrs. Robert Marshall of Marham were among the ladies shopping in the city Wednesday.
Mrs. Ralph W. Hutchison of South Prairie street is a guest of her uncle, and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. C. N. Wyatt of Hutchison, Kan.
F. L. Chase of Springfield, division passenger agent of the C. & A., was calling at the local office of the company in this city Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Willett, residents of Spaulding, were city visitors yesterday for the purpose of attending the funeral of Mrs. Long.
Lloyd Bracewell of Chesterfield, Macoupin county, was in the city Wednesday, enroute to his home from Murrayville where he has been employed.
The Woman's College opens Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 13 and 14. Arrange now for instruction in any department. Speak early for time with any particular teacher.
Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Hardesty of Denver, Colo., arrived in the city Wednesday for a visit at the home of his brother, Dr. T. O. Hardesty of Duncan place.
Miss Mabel Schofield, 509 South Keshuoo street, will leave this forenoon via the C. B. & O. for Moline to make a visit with her brother, Chester Schofield.
Clarence Fishback who has been attending to business in the city and visiting his wife's mother, Mrs. Mary Wood on West College street, has returned to St. Louis.

Charles Watt of Franklin was attending to business matters in the city yesterday and getting acquainted with the new son born to him and wife at Our Savior's hospital.
William A. Allcott writes his parents that he has arrived in Joliet after a pleasant vacation and has resumed his duties in the public schools of the penitentiary city.
S. J. Devlin and family have returned to their home in Beardstown after a visit at the home of Mrs. Devlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Devlin at 636 North East street.
H. W. Lampton, who for a number of months has been in the city representing Texas and interests, has gone to his home in Muskogee, Okla., on account of poor health.
Mrs. Mary Escoroe, Saunders Baptist and Misses Justina and Carrie Escoroe have returned from a visit with Mrs. Emma DePrates, daughter of Mrs. Escoroe and living in Decatur.
BROWN'S NIGHT SCHOOL opens Monday, Sept. 20.
Miss Mabel Reid, a nurse at Passavant hospital is off from duty on a three weeks' vacation and will leave today for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Emily Hunter at her home in Canton, Fulton county.
Mrs. Joseph Price and daughters, Annie, Marie and Josephine and George Connors have returned to Chicago after a visit in the city with Mrs. Price's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Russell, and Mrs. Annie Lohman of 227 South Mauvalsterre street.
Mrs. H. L. Cully and Mrs. Thurman Haskell expect to leave today for a week's visit in Galesburg and Peoria. In the former city they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson and in Peoria they will visit Mrs. Cully's brother, Samuel Fouch and family.
Lee Williams and Joseph Walters of Atwater who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pine on South Main street have gone to their homes. They had been to attend the exhibition of tractor engines at Bloomington.
Larry Flynn, Sr., was walking up and down the road Tuesday all smiles, the neighbors were all looking funny they thought maybe that Larry had an automobile but his smiles were all for his granddaughter that arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flynn.
Miss Edith Jordan returned last night from Omena, Mich., where she was the guest of Miss Mary Wadsworth for several weeks. Earlier in the summer Miss Jordan took a special six weeks course in art work in Chicago and afterward was with her mother, Mrs. Helen Jordan at Castle Park.
Miss Alice Plouer has returned to Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa., to continue her work as teacher in the school for the deaf. This will be Miss Plouer's fourth term at the Pennsylvania school and her record for good service is an enviable one. She spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Plouer.

MME. GALERAITH, expert corsetiere of New York, now giving special fittings of Frolaset front lace corsets. H. J. & L. M. Smith.

YOUNGBLOOD PRAIRIE.
Oscar Hopper and family spent Sunday with A. Hopper and family of this vicinity.

James Roberts, who has been treated at a Jacksonville hospital, has returned much improved in health.

James Roberts' little son, John, is sick with typhoid fever.

Wheat and oats in this neighborhood are pretty much all threshed.

A good many in this region attended the Mt. Zion picnic Saturday.

C. F. Story has a contract for erecting an addition to and remodeling a house for Ollie Fanning of Hart's Prairie.

Mrs. William Berryman, of Scott's Prairie, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Smith, and her sister, Miss Mildred, returned home with her and will attend the high school.

School began last Monday with Chester Colton, principal, and Jennie McCracken, primary. Several tuition pupils have reported and several more are to come.

Several sorghum makers have begun work making molasses.

Charles Dalton visited with Jacksonville relatives Saturday.

Several of our boys went to Silman, Mo., to begin gathering apples.

REGISTRATION AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE.
Registration in all departments of Illinois College including Illinois Conservatory of Music and Whipple academy, September 20 and 21.

EGYPT PRAIRIE.
Charles Lovell was a visitor in Jacksonville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird Mansfield spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Virgin Sheppard.

Charles Dalton visited relatives in Jacksonville Sunday.

Martin Loneragan spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Loneragan.

Mrs. J. H. Scott, of the Asbury neighborhood, made a flying trip to McClellan Sheppard's Saturday afternoon in her new car. Mrs. Scott is Mr. Sheppard's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kehl and daughter, Edith, spent Sunday afternoon with William Lovell and family.

Mrs. Charles Strawmatt, of Wright returned home Sunday after a few days' visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loneragan and daughter, Alice Regina, spent Sunday afternoon with Thomas Loneragan and family.

AT MT. EMORY TONIGHT.
The lecture by Prof. Lampton, which was to have been given at Mt. Emory church last evening was postponed on account of rain. The association for the advancement of the African race will meet at 7:30 and after a short session in the basement the meeting will be dismissed in time for the lecture in the stairs.

FLORETH'S



Our millinery department is now showing every new style Hat, now shown in Millinery and trimmed to please you. The Hats we show you are the product of such makers as Gage Bros., Kieth, Fisk Rich, Gaier and many others, don't pass this very important to you "Millinery department" by this season. You are always assured of the very latest Style and lowest in price.

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for early selling we make price 50c per yd.

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FINE STORE FURNITURE.

Messrs. F. J. Garland & Co., are placing in their clothing store some fine new furniture in the shape of wall cases or cabinets intended to hold their stock of hats and suits and keep them wholly free from dust made of plate glass and quarter sawed oak and are very ornamental as well as solid and substantial and also match the other furniture of the store. They will be a fine addition to the furnishings of the establishment.

LICENSE TO MARRY.

Le Ray H. E. Williams, Jacksonville; Dana Baird, Jacksonville; Wilbert Fitzsimmons, Woodson; Leta May Megginson, Woodson.

WILL ATTEND COLLEGE.

Oswald Crain left Wednesday for Doyle Station, Tenn., to live with his grandfather, Crain, and attend school at Doyle College.

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At Jacksonville, in the State of Illinois, at the
Close of Business Thursday, Sept. 2, 1915

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$1,596,621.13
Overdrafts Secured and Unsecured	14,211.99
United States Bonds to Secure Circulation	200,000.00
Stocks, Securities, Etc.	588,145.17
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Other Real Estate	1,754.91

CASH

Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	\$ 6,844.13
Due from State Banks and Bankers	27,203.97
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	31,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	291,021.71
Checks and Other Cash Items	10,413.15
Notes of Other National Banks	8,365.00
Nickels and Cents	1,076.46
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	126,274.15
Legal Tender Notes	15,000.00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	10,000.00
Total	\$2,945,441.77

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock Paid in	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Profits Less Expenses and Taxes Paid	63,989.40
National Bank Notes Outstanding	200,000.00

DEPOSITS

Due to Other National Banks	\$ 58,813.30
Due to State Banks and Bankers	28,062.72
United States Deposits	14,875.00
Postal Savings Deposits	5,326.40
Individual Deposits subject to Check	1,801,196.93
Time Certificates of Deposit	523,267.82
Total	\$2,945,441.77

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Bolt from Wednesday Evening Storm

Means Close Call for Almon Cox of Winchester—Scott County News Notes and Personals.

Lightning struck and killed three horses with which Almon Cox of Scott county was plowing Wednesday afternoon and, glancing, rendered Mr. Cox unconscious for a number of minutes. Mr. Cox was working a field on his farm six and one-half miles northwest of Winchester when he noticed a threatening cloud approaching. He was in the act of unhitching when the bolt struck. Mr. Cox was regaining consciousness when physicians arrived and later in the evening had practically recovered from the shock of this close call by death.

Dr. Earl McLaughlin of Gledwater, Tex., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McLaughlin and other relatives.

Earl Nelson was sufficiently recovered from his nine weeks' illness Wednesday to go riding. Many friends will be pleased with his progress toward recovery.

Walter Arundel and Henry Summers of Bluffs were Winchester visitors Wednesday.

David Hainsfurther has gone to Chicago to visit the city markets. Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Frye of Oxville were in Winchester yesterday.

PASSAVANT HOSPITAL BENEFIT CAMPAIGN

As Already Announced Will Be Some Time the Latter Part of the Present Year and Should Be a Grand Success.

As already announced the campaign for securing funds for Passavant hospital will be some time the latter part of the present year and the enterprise should be a fine success. For more than forty years the hospital has been doing its beneficent work and has well demonstrated its value to the community and the appeal for funds should be recognized. New buildings and equipment are needed for the increasing work of the institution and these should be supplied by the community which gets the benefit of the institution. Full particulars will be given in due time and meanwhile all interested, and that should mean everybody, are urged to help create an interest in this proposed undertaking.

LIGHT COMPANY'S WITNESSES WERE ON STAND WEDNESDAY

Sought To Show Property in Better Condition Than Utility Commission Engineer's Found—Defendant Finance—Mr. Little Will Criticize Gas Light Service.

The hearing of the Jacksonville rate case before the Illinois Utility Commission did not progress very rapidly Wednesday, all of the time was occupied by witnesses for the Light Company. They have some further evidence to introduce today and then A. J. Little, gas expert for the Utilities Commission will take the stand and make a supplementary report. Mr. Little was to testify yesterday but the hearing did not progress as rapidly as expected.

L. E. Myers of Chicago was a witness for the company as was G. W. Peck a bond broker. The trend of their testimony was to show that the percent of condition of the company's property is higher than indicated in the reports made by the commission's engineers. The purpose further was to show the propriety of capitalization in excess of the actual money invested because of the large expenses attendant upon the organization of utility concerns. Mr. Myers testified that it was necessary to add 35 to 40 percent to the capital and stock for this purpose in the organization of utility enterprises under the conditions existing in Jacksonville. He said the percent would be less considerably if the street railway did not have to be taken into consideration.

Commissioner Shaw asked the witness a number of questions with the intent to show that companies have a custom of organizing on a large scale with stock in excess of the actual investment on the theory that it is proper because of contingencies which may arise. He indicated the belief that the proper way would be to wait until such contingencies appeared and then issue the stock to cover the expense.

Mr. Little who is to testify today, it is understood will severely criticize the company for lack of attention to the gas business from a lighting standpoint. He is said to have found that the company makes no effort to encourage the use of gas for lighting purposes and that fixtures offered for sale are not of recent type and are not displayed in a way to make them attractive. His report will state that people who buy gas for lighting use must take the initiative in the matter as the company gives no evidence of wanting the business. His report further will show that the leakage of gas has increased during the past year and that the cost of production is 40.41 for coal gas and 82.88 for water gas. It is Mr. Little's opinion that water gas seldom need be made. L. E. Fischer it is said will be a witness for the company again today.

As in former hearing the city was represented by A. D. Stephens and J. J. Reeve and the company by H. I. Greene, Mayor Rodgers and Dr. Baker also attended.

MEETING AT COURT HOUSE.

As previously announced a mass meeting will be held at the Court House tomorrow night when a number of citizens will give their reasons for believing that the commission form of government should be retained. The public is invited.

AUTOMOBILES

William Brockhouse and family, residing in the vicinity of Chapin, came to the city yesterday in their Reo car.

M. L. Robinson and daughter, representatives of Prentice, came to the city yesterday in their Hudson car.

William Rees and son Walter, came up to the city yesterday from Franklin precinct in their I. C. H. car.

J. A. Hornbeck of Tallula brought down to the city yesterday in his Studebaker car to attend the Long funeral George Beard, Miss Alice Smith, Jesse Wilhelm and Miss Ada Brooks.

A. E. Curry and wife rode in from Pisgah yesterday in their American runabout.

William Ratliff and family came over from Virginia yesterday in their Ford car to attend the Long funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corigan of New Berlin made an auto trip to the city yesterday.

G. L. Tindall and family of the east part of the county motored to the city yesterday in their Ford car.

Albert Coultas, wife and children rode up to the city yesterday from Riggston in their Ford car.

George DeWees of the region of Berea came down to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

C. N. Priest sold Cosgriff Brothers a Ford runabout, a traveling man from Chicago, passed through the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Clark of the vicinity of Litterberry were city callers yesterday, coming in their Sphinx car.

George Clayton of the south part of the county visited the city yesterday coming in his Oakland car.

W. E. McCurley of Murrayville precinct journeyed to the city yesterday in his Oakland car.

C. H. James and family made a trip from Meredosia to the city yesterday in their Midland car.

WANTED.
Twenty-five extra salesclerks for
Gigantic Bargain Sale at HILLOCK
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SOCIAL EVENTS

Pastor's Aid Society Enjoy Musical Program.

A musical program of merit was carried out at the home of Mrs. Jerry Cox on Caldwell street Wednesday afternoon in celebration of the annual homecoming meeting of the Pastor's Aid society of First Baptist church. Dainty refreshments were served at the program's close. Mrs. Joseph Shreve called the meeting to order and after song and prayer the following selections were given:

Vocal solo—Miss Breitweiser.
Piano duet—Misses Helen Jackson and Ursula Fawcett.
Violin solo—Miss Laura Hayden.
Reading—Miss Sue Fox.
Piano solo—Miss Mabel Goltra.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Herman Ellis.
Violin solo—Miss Minnie Hoffman.
Piano duet—Misses Florence Cox and Dorothy Smith.
Reading—Mrs. George Hocking.
Vocal solo—Miss Nelle F. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Give Farewell Dinner.

In honor of their son, Warfield Brown, who expects to leave soon for Philadelphia, Pa., to take up his studies in the University of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening at seven o'clock dinner at their home, 1042 West State street. The evening hours were spent in pleasant social diversion. Yellow roses and asparagus fern were employed as decorations for the dining room. Candalaria were used and all appointments were made most fittingly. Mr. Brown received many words of felicitation with regard his coming departure for the east.

Popular Young People Will Wed in October.

A charming announcement party at the home of Miss Georgie Melton on North Church street Wednesday evening made known the engagement of Mr. Louis M. Osborne and Miss Virginia Z. Roberts, the wedding to take place in October. Intimate friends of the bride-to-be were present and the clever games and musical features planned by the hostess made the evening hours pass most pleasantly. The announcement was formally made when Miss Melton arose and read a "special delivery" letter from a friend in Colchester, Miss Roberts' home. Yellow and white was a color idea carried out in house decorations and refreshments.

The groom elect is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Osborne, 850 Grove street. He is a graduate of the Jacksonville High school and has for several years been employed by the Fleischmann Yeast Co., holding positions of responsibility in several cities. Miss Roberts is the daughter of George W. Roberts of Colchester and has lived in Jacksonville over two years. She attended high school in her home town and is a graduate of the Jacksonville Business college, taking a position in the office of Thomas H. Buckthorpe, after completion of her course. The young people will receive best wishes from friends on every hand. Their circle of acquaintance is wide and their well wishers will be many.

STACKING DEMONSTRATION.

A demonstration of the best manner for building straw stack will be given in the basement of the Ayers bank Saturday. There are comparatively few men who know how to stack grain and there will therefore no doubt be considerable interest in the demonstration.

DR. CROUCH SEES HAVOC WROUGHT AT GALVESTON

Visits Unfortunate Gulf City on Return from the Pacific Coast—Island Fringed With Wreckage.

Dr. E. L. Crouch arrived in Jacksonville at 2:08 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, following a western stay of five weeks. Returning by the Southern Pacific he took occasion to visit Galveston and view the effects of the recent heavy gulf storm. Though the sea wall stood intact, Galveston has suffered much, in fact most buildings near the water's edge were swept away. The Hotel Galvez was one of the few buildings near the ocean front not seriously damaged. Fort Crockett suffered lightly by reason of its steep grading. Not a bath house is left, where several substantial structures stood above the surf. The ocean now washes the foot of the wall, stretches of sand formerly visible having been carried away by force of the water. Of a Texas City lumber yard, across the bay, not a vestige remains. A small village near the mainland end of the causeway was obliterated.

Dr. and Mrs. Crouch, with their son, Joel, went to the coast by the Northern Pacific and spent considerable time in Seattle. They made a stop at San Francisco going then Los Angeles. Mrs. Crouch and son will remain a few weeks with relatives in Boulder, Colo.

VEGETABLE GROWERS MEET.
Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 8.—Progressive advertising co-operation, establishment of a national market commission and other subjects of vital importance to producer and consumer were discussed today at the sessions of the National Convention of Vegetable Growers' association of America.

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OLD JACKSONVILLE

The Groves and Ransons

By Ensley Moore.

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THE GROVES.

Dr. Jno. M. Peck, in his Gazetteer published in 1834, and printed in Jacksonville, refers to some English settlements in Illinois. He generalizes thus, under "Miscellaneous remarks" applicable to the whole state: "This state presents many inducements to those who are emigrating to west. It is now receiving large accessions from the north, the south, and from Europe. Many Germans have already entered it, and many more are shortly expected. An English colony was formed at Albion, in Edwards county, by Messrs. Birbeck and Flowers in 1818.

Morgan county contains many English families, who came three or four years since. In general they have purchased lands, and are doing well."

Peck specializes as follows: "English settlement is in Morgan county, west of Jacksonville on Caldwell's, Walnut and Plum creeks. There are about one hundred families, mostly from Yorkshire, England, and farmers. They appear to be well pleased with the country, and to be accumulating property."

Peck refers to Lynville as "a town site in Morgan county, seven miles southwest from Jacksonville. It is a new place, in the prairie, at the head of Walnut creek, has a few houses, and is settled chiefly by English people."

James Groves, son of Joseph, was brought into the United States in the thirties with his father's family. James was born in Yorkshire, England, May 20, 1825. His father had preceded him in America a short time. James coming over when seven years of age—in 1832. The family came into Illinois where Chicago now is, and settled close to where Ottawa is now located, in LaSalle county.

The Groves family was a long time on the passage across the Atlantic, and James came near staying in that big pond. For one day, he was falling overboard from some high place on the ship, when a sailor, looking up, saw the boy coming, and caught him just in time to save Groves from a ducking if not from drowning.

As stated, the family, first settled near Ottawa, but the elder Groves soon loaded them into a wagon pulled by oxen, and hauled his tribe down to the neighborhood of Lynville. Here he settled on a farm owned by Geo. Eligg. The Groves passed their first winter in Morgan county in a house built of rails, which must have been quite airy and well ventilated, especially in winter. The farm was a mile east of Lynville.

James Groves was a successful farmer, making a specialty of raising hogs. He could make them weigh three hundred pounds at the age of nine months. Unfortunately in the early days Peck says: "Pork that is made in a domestic way and fattened on corn, will sell from \$3 to \$4, according to size, quality and the time when it is delivered." The prices of pork and of everything else increased in Mr. Groves' day. But his system paid him at first much better than the haphazard way in which many farmers handled stock then.

Mr. James Groves married Hannah Hall, Jan. 25, 1854. After her death he was married to Mary Ann Ranson, March 6, 1862. Miss Ranson was born Oct. 25, 1838.

Mr. Groves died April 1, 1897. Mr. Groves and his first wife were parents of Mary E., born Oct. 13, 1854, and John A., born Sept. 20, 1856.

By his second wife Mr. Groves had six children: Sarah E., born March 2, 1863; William B., born Sept. 5, 1864; Eddie, born Jan. 2,

1868; James A., born Aug. 15, 1869; Annie M., born Nov. 20, 1872 and Alvin H., born Oct. 11, 1878.

Hannah Hall was born on her father's farm—long in the family—near Liberty church, Nov. 11, 1835. Her father was William and her mother, Elizabeth (Kilams), both born in Yorkshire, England.

Mary Ann Ranson was the daughter of James Ranson, one of the most financially successful English settlers. Mrs. Groves died Jan. 19, 1913.

Mr. James Groves lived last about 2 miles northeast of Lynville, on Strawn's Lane.

Mr. Groves' daughter, Mary E., died young. His son John A. married Miss Sarah E. Marker and they are still living.

Of his children by the second wife, Sarah E., lives in Jacksonville; William B., married Miss Mary McSherry; Annie M., married H. D. Atkins of Jacksonville; James A., married Miss Marie Ellis; Eddie died young, and Alvin H. went to California, where he is now in business.

John A. Groves, son of James while still comparatively young, was not a pioneer in this community. But he has had one interesting experience at least.

A few years ago he spent twenty-two months in Southern Russia, making Odessa, on the Black Sea, his base of business. He was selling Illinois farm machinery in that far off section. Naturally things were very different there from ways in Morgan county.

Odessa is a city of about 600,000 inhabitants, about the size of Boston. When Mr. Groves arrived there a travelling companion told him he thought English was spoken at the hotel. He found English was an unknown tongue in the management of hostelry. So he resorted to signs indicating that he wanted a place to sleep.

He was shown to a room, which had a bedstead and mattress, but no bed clothes. He did not understand it, but, going into the hallway found a boy to whom he made signs explaining his need. The boy disappeared and soon a woman came with nice clean bed clothing and rigged up a proper sleeping place. It seems that it is a Russian custom to carry bedclothes, so a guest is not so equipped by the landlord until it is shown that the traveler has no bed furnishings.

Mr. Groves worked through a region about five hundred miles east and west and north and south. In that country he found many Germans or their descendants.

Many years ago, in order to secure settlers, the Russian government gave lands under very good terms to the Germans. They, with their good appetite for valuable land, chose the best in sight, and consequently were well located.

It was quite an experiment for Mr. Groves to do business in a land requiring knowledge both of the Russian and German languages. But he picked up some words and phrases, and got along. It would be interesting to know how, in these days of warfare, the German-Russians managed to live.

At the time the Joseph Groves' family started to the United States, they lived in or near Scarborough, in Yorkshire, and a sister of Mrs. Joseph Groves gave them some parting advice.

It seems their name then was spelled Greaves. The old lady, who was well advanced in years, and a decided exponent of the Yorkshire dialect, said to Joseph, "when thee gets to America don't call thyself Greaves, but call thyself Groves."

Mr. Groves adopted her suggestion, so the family sails under a somewhat different surname from what it did in England.

Mr. John A. Groves, with his

family, resides on Mound avenue, south side, just about where Lockwood place comes in.

THE RANSONS.

James Ranson, father of Mrs. James Groves, may well be mentioned in this connection. He was born in Lancashire, England, March 4, 1811, being a cabinet maker and carpenter. In the latter trade Mr. Ranson worked on the railroad—third section thereof—into Leeds.

This was the first railroad built in the world.

In 1832 Mr. Ranson came to this country, living first in Diamond Grove, and afterwards further west. Last in Jacksonville, where he died Aug. 12, 1902. He married Sarah Richardson, Oct. 29, 1834, and she died about 1882. They were the parents of Mrs. Elizabeth (George) Hayden, John Ranson, Mrs. Mary Ann Groves (James), W. H. Ranson, Wichita Kan., Peter, Robert, George, Mrs. Sarah Jane Watson, James H. Ranson, Mrs. Maria Middleton and Charles W. Ranson, all of this country. There were 46 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren, surviving Mr. Ranson.

He helped to build the first house in Lynville, and in constructing the Allison water mill. He also worked on other houses in Lynville.

In religious matters Mr. Ranson was a Methodist. Politically he was an Abolitionist and Republican. In business he was one of the most successful in this region.

It took Mr. Ranson three months when he came from England, arriving in Naples, then in Morgan county, May 12, 1832. That year it rained so much in June that farming could not be done. Then came a drought, and crops have never been so near a failure here since.

In 1833 the Ransons raised thirty acres of good wheat, which was reaped with hand sickles, and tramped out with horses the following winter. The grain was sold to the Exeter mill for 35 cents per bushel, it being hauled twenty-five bushels at a time with oxen. So small a load was carried because there were no bridges, and the roads were comparatively untraveled.

James Ranson lived to see railroads not alone grid-ironing England, but to become the mightiest material means of developing the greater land of his adoption. He could well be proud of having worked on the first railway ever built.

Mr. Ranson was a quiet, unassuming man, and many people might pass him by as an unimportant actor in human affairs. Yet it is such men—workers and doers—who build nations, support governments, and uphold righteousness throughout the world.

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MISS SELMA LOCCAMP OF ARENZA is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Leonora Carls.

Mrs. James Williams of Kilbourne spent Thursday with her son Glen Williams.

Mrs. Bert Way and children of Jacksonville spent several days last week at the home of Richard Fanning.

Rev. R. G. Linker of Toulon, Ill., is here for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. George Carls.

A. J. Field of Kilbourne spent Thursday here with his brother, Glen Williams.

Sam Challiner of Joy Prairie visited friends in this neighborhood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Asplund have returned to their home in Chicago after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Asplund.

Alfred Peterson of Jacksonville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Peterson.

Glen Williams spent Sunday with friends at Bath.

Edward George and wife visited with friends in Philadelphia, Illinois Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. James was a Sunday guest at the home of Mrs. John Staff of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Jas. Louden was taken to a Jacksonville hospital Saturday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

R. G. Crum is a business visitor in Chicago.

Wm. Musch and family attended the Virginia chautauque Sunday.

Robert Stevenson of Jacksonville spent several days last week with his son, Harry Stevenson.

Misses Martha Musch, Gertrude Anderson, Roy Musch and C. W. James and wife attended a church supper near Ashland Saturday evening. They made the trip in Mr. Musch's Maxwell car.

Richard Pettus was a business caller in Virginia Wednesday.

PROSPECTS OF BILLION BUSHEL CROP INCREASE

REPORT FORECASTS 981,000,000
BUSHELS OF WHEAT.

Spring Wheat Indicates a Crop of 322,000,000 Bushels, an Increase of 15,000,000 Since the August Prediction Was Made

Washington, Sept. 8.—Bumper crops this year with a half dozen new production records, now seem assured. Basing predictions on a canvass made September 1st, by its thousands of agents throughout the United States the department of agriculture today issued forecasts showing the prospects of practically all the principal farm crops except potatoes and rice improved during August.

The wheat crop is placed at 981,000,000 bushels, 90,000,000 more than last year's record crop. Wet weather has damaged winter wheat and delayed threshing. In Kansas not more than half of the crop has been threshed.

Additional inquiries by crop reporters this month, however, resulted in the crop reporting board making no change in its August prediction of 659,000,000 bushels of the winter wheat. Conditions for the spring wheat crop have been ideal lately and threshing discloses yields above the average and of excellent quality.

As a result of the favorable conditions this spring wheat production forecast was increased 15,000,000 bushels to a total of 322,000,000 bushels. When the final canvass is made the entire wheat production probably will reach one billion bushels. Corn production prospects increased 67,000,000 during August, the forecast now being 2,985,000,000 bushels. Although that exceeds last year's crop by more than 110,000,000 bushels it falls 139,000,000 bushels short of the record crop of 1912.

Oats may reach a record, the September forecast being 1,408,000,000 bushels which is 267,000,000 more than was harvested last year but 10,000,000 bushels below the record crop of 1912.

The condition of white potatoes took a decide drop during August resulting in a decrease of 25,000,000 bushels in the estimates of production. The September forecast is 406,000,000 bushels, 14,000,000 below the 1912 record crop.

Indications point to record crops of barley, rye, sweet potatoes, tobacco, rice and hay. The apple and peach crops also are far above the average in production. More definite information as to the size of the important farm crops, several of them the largest ever grown, and which are now being harvested or approaching harvest, was given today by the Department of Agriculture's crop reporting board, which forecast the production from reports showing the condition of the crops on September 1. These forecasts are given below with the forecasts based on August 1 conditions. (In millions of bushels, i. e. 000 omitted.)

Crops	September Forecast	August Forecast
Winter wheat (x)	659,000	659,000
Spring wheat	322,000	307,000
All wheat	981,000	966,000
Corn	2,985,000	2,918,000
Oats	1,408,000	1,402,000
Barley	223,000	217,000
Rye (x)	44,000	44,000
Buckwheat	18,000	18,000
White potatoes	406,000	431,000
Sweet potatoes	65,000	63,000
Hay (tons)	81,000	75,000
Apples	214,000	205,000
Peaches	64,000	60,000
(x) Preliminary estimate.		

Comparison of the September with the August forecasts will show the change in bushels in the harvest prospects as effected by weather and other conditions during August.

Details of each crop, other than total production, as announced by the Department follows:

Spring Wheat: Condition 94.6 per cent of a normal, compared with 93.4 last month, 68.0 last year and 76.8 the ten year average. Indicated acre yield 16.8 bushels, compared with 11.8 last year and 13.3 the 1909-13 average.

Corn: Condition 78.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 79.5 last month, 71.7 last year and 74.1 the ten year average. Indicated acre yield 27.3 bushels, compared with 25.8 last year and 25.9 the 1909-13 average.

Oats: Condition 91.1 per cent of a normal, compared with 91.6 last month, 75.8 last year and 78.1 the ten year average. Indicated acre yield 35.0 bushels, compared with 29.7 last year and 30.6, the 1909-13 average.

Barley: Condition 94.2 per cent of a normal, compared with 93.8 last month, 82.4 last year and 79.7 the ten year average. Indicated acre yield 30.2 bushels, compared with 25.8 last year and 24.3, the 1909-13 average.

White Potatoes: Condition 82.7 per cent of a normal, compared with 92.0 last month, 75.8 last year and 76.4 the ten year average. Indicated acre yield 18.8 bushels, compared with 10.5 last year and 97.1 the 1909-13 average.

Sweet Potatoes: Condition 87.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 92.0 last month, 75.8 last year and 76.4 the ten year average. Indicated acre yield 108.8 bushels, compared with 93.8 last year and 92.7, the 1909-13 average.

Hay: Indicated acre yield 1.59 tons, compared with 1.43 last year and 1.34 tons, the 1909-13 average.

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BROOKLYN DROPS TWO GAMES TO BOSTON

BRAVES TAKE SECOND PLACE IN PENNANT RACE.

Boston Wins First Contest Easily by Hammering Marquard and Appleton—Barnes Holds Brooklyn to Five Hits in Second.

Brooklyn, Sept. 8.—By losing two games to Boston here today Brooklyn went into third place and the Braves took second place in pennant race. Boston won the first contest easily by hammering Rube Marquard and Appleton, the result being 12 to 1.

Nehf became ill from the heat in the fifth inning and fell in the box. Boston took the second encounter 4 to 1. Rucker lasted until the eighth inning when he weakened.

Jess Barnes made his first start for Boston and held Brooklyn to five hits.

Scores:
First game:
Boston: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
Snodgrass, cf. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Moran, cf. 2 1 1 0 0 0
Evers, 2b. 4 0 0 3 4 0
Compton, rf. 6 0 4 1 0 0
Magee, lf. 6 0 0 2 0 0
Schmidt, 1b. 5 3 12 0 0
Smith, 3b. 4 3 3 1 1 0
Egan, 3b. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Maranville, ss. 5 2 2 5 6 0
Whaling, c. 1 0 1 1 1 0
Gowdy, c. 3 1 1 0 1 0
Nehf, p. 1 0 0 1 1 0
Hughes, p. 3 1 1 0 0 0
Totals . . . 43 12 26 14 0

Brooklyn: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
O'Mara, ss. 4 0 0 3 3 2
Daubert, 1b. 1 0 1 5 0 0
Hummel, 1b. 1 0 0 5 0 0
Stengel, rf. 3 0 0 2 0 0
Olson, rf. 1 0 1 0 0 0
Cutshaw, 2b. 3 0 0 2 4 0
Meyers, cf. 1 0 0 3 0 0
Smith, cf. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Getz, 3b. 3 1 2 2 2 3
Nixon, lf. 2 0 1 1 0 0
Miller, c. 2 0 1 4 0 0
McCarthy, c. 1 0 0 0 1 0
Marquard, p. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Appleton, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals . . . 27 1 3 27 10 2

Score by innings:
Boston . . . 020 005 506—12
Brooklyn . . . 010 000 000—1

Summary.
Two base hit—Compton. Three base hit—Moran. Home run—Maranville. Stolen bases—Gowdy, Compton. Sacrifice hit—Evers. Double play—Evers, Schmidt; Nehf, and Schmidt; Maranville, Evers, Schmidt; Evers, Maranville, Schmidt; O'Mara, Cutshaw, Daubert. Bases on balls—off Nehf 2; off Marquard 3; off Appleton 2. Hits—off Nehf 5; in 4-2-3 innings; off Hughes, 1 in 4-1-3 innings; off Marquard, 9 in 6; off Appleton, 7 in 3. Hit by pitcher—Nehf (Meyers); by Hughes (Daubert). Struck out—by Marquard 4; Wilderich—Nehf. Umpires—Klem and Emslie. Time—2:05.

Second game:
Boston . . . 000 1000 309—4 9 1
Brooklyn . . . 000 100 000—1 5 2

Barnes and Gowdy; Rucker, Dell and Miller.
St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 0.

St. Louis, Sept. 8.—Timely hitting and base running enabled St. Louis to shutout Chicago today two to nothing. Lavender outpitched Ames but the visitors were helpless when hits were needed.

Scores:
Chicago: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
Good, rf. 4 0 1 0 0 0
McLary, 2b. 4 0 0 3 3 0
Schulte, lf. 4 0 1 2 0 0
Zimmerman, ss. 4 0 1 2 0 0
Saler, 1b. 4 0 1 12 1 0
Williams, cf. 3 0 1 2 0 0
Phelan, 3b. 3 0 1 3 0 0
Archer, c. 3 0 1 3 0 0
Lavender, p. 2 0 0 0 2 0
Murray, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Pierce, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals . . . 32 0 6 24 17 0

St. Louis: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
Huggins, 2b. 4 0 0 3 5 0
Butler, ss. 2 1 0 1 5 0
Bescher, lf. 3 0 1 6 0 0
Long, rf. 3 0 1 3 0 0
Wilson, cf. 2 1 0 1 9 0
Miller, 1b. 2 0 0 9 0 0
Betz, 3b. 3 0 2 0 0 0
Snyder, c. 3 0 0 4 0 0
Aues, p. 3 0 1 0 0 0
Totals . . . 25 2 5 27 10 0

Score by innings:
Chicago . . . 000 000 000—0
St. Louis . . . 110 000 000—2

Summary.
Two base hit—Phelan. Stolen base—Butler. Sacrifice hit—Miller. Double plays—Huggins, Miller; Zimmerman, McLary, Snier. Bases on balls—off Lavender 2. Hits—off Lavender 3 in 7 innings; off Pierce, 2 in 1 inning. Struck out—by Lavender 3; Ames 3. Umpires—Quigley and O'Day. Time—1:28.

Philadelphia, 9; New York, 3.
Philadelphia, Sept. 8.—Hard hitting gave Philadelphia an easy victory over New York today 9 to 3.

In the opening inning the home team scored five runs on a pass. Packard's home run, Whitford's triple, doubles by Cravath and Luders and singles by Niehoff and Chalmers. Schupp took Ritter's place in the fourth and Perritt went to the rubber in the eighth. Chalmers was effective until the ninth when the visitors made three hits and scored two runs.

Scores:
New York . . . 100 000 002—3 9 1
Philadelphia . . . 502 100 100—9 12 0
Ritter, Schnapp, Perritt and Daolin, Schang; Chalmers and E. Burns.

Mrs. John Boddy of Markham spent Wednesday in the city visiting her father, X. Walter of East Court street. Her father and sister, Mrs. Ida Pitner returned with her for a visit of several days.

HOW THEY STAND.

American League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	84	43	.662
Detroit	85	47	.644
Chicago	79	51	.608
Washington	69	59	.539
New York	59	66	.472
St. Louis	52	78	.400
Cleveland	48	81	.372
Philadelphia	38	89	.299

National League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	70	56	.556
Boston	68	59	.535
Brooklyn	70	61	.534
St. Louis	65	67	.493
Pittsburgh	61	66	.480
Chicago	63	70	.474
New York	59	66	.472
Cincinnati	58	69	.457

Federal League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	73	56	.566
St. Louis	71	60	.541
Newark	67	60	.527
Chicago	70	63	.526
Kansas City	68	62	.523
Buffalo	67	68	.496
Brooklyn	64	69	.481
Baltimore	43	83	.326

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

American League.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

National League.
Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

Federal League.
No games scheduled.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American Association.
Milwaukee, 6-5; Cleveland, 7-1.
First game 12 innings, second five darkness.
Louisville, 4; Minneapolis, 7.
Indianapolis, 9; Kansas City, 2.

Three Eye League.
Rockford, 0-4; Moline, 3-5.
Quincy-Peoria, rain.
Freeport, 0; Davenport, 4.

National League.
Brooklyn, 1-1; Boston, 12-4.
Philadelphia, 9; New York, 3.
St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 0.
Other not scheduled.

Federal League.
Buffalo, 4-5; Baltimore, 0-4.
Newark, 4-0; Brooklyn, 6-3.
Kansas City, 7-0; Pittsburgh, 2-0.
Second called end 2nd, darkness.

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Quincy-Peoria, rain.
Freeport, 0; Davenport, 4.

Brooklyn Takes Both Games
OF DOUBLE BILL FROM NEWARK

Make Clean Sweep of Five Game Series—Other Federal League Scores.

Newark, Sept. 8.—The Brooklyn Federals made a clean sweep of the five game series with the Newark's by taking today's double header by score of 6 to 4 and 3 to 0. Scores:

First Game.
Brooklyn, 2 0 0 2 0 1 0—6 12 1
Newark, 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 0—4 10 0
Marion and Land; Kaiserling, Moran and Rariden.

Second Game.
Brooklyn, 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 9 0
Newark, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 9 1
Upham and Simon; Moseley, Billiard and Rariden.

Kansas City, 7; Pittsburgh, 2.
Kansas City, Sept. 8.—The leaders of the Federal league were helpless before the pitching of Packard today and Kansas City won from Pittsburgh, 7 to 2. Packard allowed four hits. Score:

Pittsburgh, 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2 4 0
Kan. City 2 0 1 0 1 0 3 0—7 13 1
Rogge, Hearne and O'Connor; Packard and Enzenroth.

Buffalo, 4-5; Baltimore, 0-4.
Buffalo, Sept. 8.—The local Federal league season was brought to a close today with the Buffalo team scoring a double victory over Baltimore. The score were 4 to 0 and 5 to 4. Scores:

First Game.
Buffalo, 0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0—4 6 0
Balt., 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 0
Schulz and Allen; Johnson and Owens.

Second Game.
Buffalo, 0 1 0 0 3 0 1 0—5 8 1
Balt., 2 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—4 8 2
Marshall and Allen; Quinn, Conley and Russell.

Washington, 1; New York, 0.
New York, Sept. 8.—Walter Johnson shut out the New York Americans today for the third time this season, Washington winning over the Yankees 1 to 0. Shawkey also pitched well but the visitors scored a run in the first inning when Moeller hit a scratch single, stole second, took third on an out and scored on Milan's sacrifice fly. Score:

Wash., 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 0
New York 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 6 0
Johnson and Williams; Shawkey and Krueger.

OPPOSE RECOMMENDATIONS.
Philadelphia, Sept. 7.—The recommendation of Postmaster General Burleson that the rates of postage on magazines issued less frequently than once a week be increased was opposed by speakers at the tenth annual convention of the federation of trade press associations which opened here today.

LOWDERMILK GOES WILD; CHICAGO WHITE SOX WIN

TIGER TWIRLER BLOWS UP IN NINTH INNING.

Detroit Drives Faber and Benz Off the Mound in Less Than Two Innings and Has Game Apparently Won—Wolfgang, However, Holds Opponents to Three Hits.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Grover Lowdermilk, the latest acquisition to the Detroit pitching staff went wild in the ninth inning and met defeat at the hands of the Chicago White Sox, ten to nine, in the last clash of these two clubs here this season.

The Detroit Tigers drove both Faber and Benz on the mound in less than two innings and had the game apparently won. Wolfgang, however, held them to three hits while his teammates overcame the lead of the visitors. Score:

Detroit	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Vitt, 3b.	5	1	1	1	1	0
Bush, ss.	4	1	1	3	3	1
Cobb, cf.	5	2	2	2	1	0
Crawford, rf.	4	2	1	1	0	0
Veach, lf.	3	2	2	2	0	0
Burns, 1b.	3	0	1	7	0	0
Young, 2b.	3	0	1	3	2	0
Kavanagh, 2b.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Stanage, c.	4	0	1	4	2	0
Coveleskie, p.	1	1	1	0	1	0
Boland, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dubuc, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lowdermilk, p.	1	0	0	1	0	0

Totals 39 5 11 25 10 1
Chicago: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
Murphy, rf. 5 0 1 3 0 0
J. Collins, 1b. 4 0 1 12 1 0
E. Collins, 2b. 1 3 2 3 0 0
E. Jackson, cf. 4 2 1 0 0 0
Felsch, lf. 1 2 1 0 0 0
Fournier, lf. 1 2 0 2 0 0
Weaver, ss. 4 1 2 3 1 0
Johns, 3b. 5 1 3 2 2 0
Scnak, c. 4 1 2 2 2 0
Faber, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Benz, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Wolfgang, p. 4 0 1 1 2 0

Totals 37 10 15 27 14 0
*One out when winning run was scored.

Score by Innings—
Detroit 4 4 0 0 0 0 10—9
Chicago 0 1 0 2 0 0 5 0 2—10

Summary.
Two base hits—Cobb, J. Collins, eskie, Crawford, Felsch, Johns. Stolen bases—Weaver. Sacrifice hits—Bush, Burns, Weaver. Double plays—Johns, J. Collins; Cobb, Stanage; Bush, Young, Burns. Bases on balls—off Faber 1; Coveleskie, 3; Wolfgang, 1; Boland, 1; Lowdermilk, 2. Hits—off Faber, 4 in 1-3 innings; Benz, 4 in 1; Wolfgang, 3 in 7-2-3; Coveleskie, 6 in 3-1-3; Boland, 5 in 2-2-3; Dubuc, 2 in less than 1-3; Lowdermilk, 2 in 2. Struck out—by Coveleskie, 2; Lowdermilk, 1. Wild pitches—Lowdermilk. Passed ball—Stanage. Umpires—Connolly and Wallace. Time—2:16.

Philadelphia, 1-2; Boston, 0-13.
Boston, Sept. 8.—The American League leaders divided a double header with Philadelphia today. The scores were 1 to 0 in favor of Philadelphia and in the first game and 3 to 1 in favor of Boston in the second contest.

Scores:
First game:
Philadelphia 0 10 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 1
Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 7 2
Sheehan and McAvoy; Leonard, Mays and Carrigan.

Second game:
Philadelphia: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
Davies, rf. 4 0 0 1 1 0
Walsh, lf. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Strunk, cf. 3 1 2 5 2 0
Lajoie, ss. 4 0 0 3 4 0
McInnis, 1b. 4 0 2 9 0 1
Oldring, 2b. 4 0 0 2 2 0
Malone, 2b. 4 1 2 1 2 2
Lapp, c. 4 0 2 1 0 1
Crowell, p. 3 0 0 0 3 0

Totals . . . 34 2 8 24 14 4
Boston: AB. R. H. P. A. E.
Henriksen, lf. 4 2 3 2 0 0
Scott, ss. 5 0 1 3 3 0
Hoener, rf. 3 2 0 3 0 0
Speaker, cf. 3 2 1 4 0 0
Gardner, 3b. 3 2 1 1 4 0
Hoblitel, 1b. 3 2 2 9 1 0
Barry, 2b. 2 2 2 0 1 0
Wagner, 2b. 1 0 1 2 0 0
Carrigan, c. 3 1 0 4 2 0
Grogg, p. 3 0 0 1 2 0

Totals . . . 31 13 11 27 12 0
Score by Innings:
Philadelphia . . . 001 100 000—2
Boston 000 202 100—13

Summary.
Two base hits—Lapp, 2; Henriksen. Three base hits—Strunk 2. Sacrifice fly—Carrigan. Sacrifice hits—Scott, Hoblitel. Double plays—Oldring and McInnis; Crowell, Malone, Lajoie, McInnis. Bases on balls—off Crowell 12; off Gregg 1. Hit by pitcher—by Crowell (Barry). Struck out—by Crowell 1; Gregg 4. Wild pitch—Crowell. Passed balls—Lapp 2. Umpires—Hillebrand and O'Loughlin. Time—1:47.

St. Louis, 5; Cleveland, 4.
Cleveland, Sept. 8.—Cleveland was defeated by St. Louis today, McCabe, a recruit, outpitched Morton, who was driven from the box in five innings. The winning run was scored by Howard in the seventh on his triple and Pratt's single. Score:

Cleve. . . 0 0 0 2 0 2 0 0—4 7 2
St. Louis 0 0 2 0 2 0 1 0—5 10 3
Morton, Combe, Breton and O'Neill; McCabe and Agnew.

JONSTON AND GRIFFIN WIN DOUBLES TITLE.
Forrest Hills, Sept. 8.—W. M. Johnston and his partner, Clarence J. Griffin, both of San Francisco, wrested the national doubles tennis championship from T. C. Bundy of Los Angeles and Maurice E. McCullough, of San Francisco, in a thrilling five set match here this afternoon. By a score of 2-6, 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.

MURRAYVILLE ROAD COMMITTEES NAMED.

Private Initiative Will Aid Work of Regular Commissioners — The Tuesday Meeting.

In order to get tangible results a system of cooperation was adopted at the Murrayville good road meeting Tuesday to supplement the work done by the highway commissioners. The principal roads leading from the village into the country were numbered, as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, and a man appointed for each division to solicit pledges of labor, or cash and with the understanding that the labor or money should be applied where the subscriber is most interested. B. D. Cade, Elijah Bacon, C. J. Wright, R. D. Mawson and Felix Gordon were selected for the five divisions in the order named, and J. E. Osborne to represent the village of Murrayville, the money and labor subscribed in the village to be used on all the divisions as the subscribers desire. The meeting was quite enthusiastic, and good results are expected. B. D. Cade and J. E. Osborne deserve credit for proposing the plan, and bringing the meeting about.

The meeting was called at the park but on account of dampness it was found best to assemble in the town hall and at 2:30 o'clock a good number having assembled, W. B. Wright called the meeting to order and after a brief statement of the object of the meeting, Mr. B. D. Cade was elected chairman and Thomas Irlam secretary. After opening talk by the chairman, Thomas Coveleskie, of Jacksonville, addressed the meeting and proceeded to interest those present with a talk on dirt roads, their proper grading, drainage and permanent maintenance. Mr. Worthington also spoke in an interesting and instructive way on the legal phases of road usage and penalties for damages one may do to others while on the road, either wilfully or through negligence, criminal, carelessness or ignorance.

After the conclusion of Mr. Worthington's talk Charles Rowe addressed the meeting his topic being proper selection and care of seed corn, also touching briefly on the main topic of the day, "Better Roads."

The addresses of both the speakers were highly interesting and instructive and a vote of thanks was extended them for their attendance and help.

NAME OMITTED.
In the report of the county convention of the W. C. T. U. in Wednesday's paper the name of Mrs. Smith who was elected as superintendent of contest work was omitted.

BUYS SHETLAND PONY.
Geo. Johnson recently bought of Mr. Grover Redman of Berry, Ill., a shetland pony.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fountain of Chapin were among Wednesday visitors in the city.

RUSSEL BOY CAPTURES UNFINISHED RACE

GEERS' HORSE IS EASY WINNER OVER HAL BOY.

Eight Very Tame and Uninteresting Heats in Four Different Classes Make Up Program at Charter Oak Park.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 8.—Eight very tame and uninteresting heats in four different classes made up the third day's program of the grand circuit meeting at Charter Oak park today. The unfinished 2:10 pace from Tuesday drew two starters, the two heat winners, for the sixth heat and Russell Boy was an easy winner over Hal Boy.

Single G, the Chamber of Commerce winner, showed his superiority over a field of five starters, taking the lead and holding it all the way in the first two heats and overcoming Lella Patchen's slight advantage in the third heat at the half mile and winning in straight heats.

Summaries:
2:10 pace, best 3 in 5; purse \$2,000 (Unfinished Tuesday).
Russell Boy (Geers) . . . 2 2 1 1 1
Hal Boy (McMahon) . . . 1 3 8 4 3
Peter Farren (Murphy) . . . 6 3 0 2 0
Best time—2:04 1-2.

2:06 pace; best 3 in 5; purse \$2,000
Single G (Goswell) 1 1 1
Rastus (McDonald) 4 2 2
Lella Patchen (Snow) 2 4 .
Best time—2:04 3-4.

2:04 trot; best 2 in 3; purse \$1,000
Margaret Drulen (Cox) 1 1
Lettie Lee (Andrews) 2 2
Fair Virginia (Monahan) 3 4
Best time—2:06 1-2.

2:24 trot; best 2 in 3; purse \$2,000
DeRoche (Geers) 1 1
North Spur (Cox) 2 2
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Miss Lucile Knox, Miss Neva Rochester and Glenn Funk of Manchester spent Saturday night and Sunday with Roy and Stella Covington. Misses Opal and Lavina Morris of Roodhouse are visiting Mrs. Iva Story.

Greenup Edwards was a Jacksonville visitor Friday.

Misses Edna Mason and Letta Steele spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Mary Edwards.

Mrs. Lily Bracewell was painfully burned Saturday night at Zion church, while attempting to light a gasoline lamp. She received injuries on the hand and arm. Although painful, the injury is not considered serious.

Miss Nellie Hurt of Jerseyville is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lulu Barnhart.

A very successful picnic held at Zion church Saturday afternoon and evening attracted a good crowd from all the neighboring towns. Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of: Piano, Mrs. Chas. Short; violin, William Stansfield; cornet, C. Justice Wright; drum, Chas. Short.

Miss Lucy Story of Murrayville spent from Friday until Sunday with Miss Alma Mutch.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Whitlock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roberts, south of Franklin.

C. A. Gunn, who was badly burned Friday afternoon when the thrasher engine which he was driving fell through a bridge pinning him beneath the fire box, is resting easier.

Joe Waters of near Athensville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bracewell.

Misses Edna Mason, Letta Steele and Gertrude Edwards called on Mrs. James Gibson Sunday morning.

E. L. Whitlock of Jacksonville spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Whitlock were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare McGowan of Manchester have spent a week at the home of the latter's brother, Charles Curtis, east of Ceres.

Ivalou Gibson called on Mrs. Wiley Gunn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richards and daughter Mabel spent Sunday with Wiley Gunn and wife.

J. E. Thompson of Murrayville called on C. A. Gunn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Still were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bracewell.

Norris Bracewell was on the sick list Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Crouse and granddaughter Miss Eleanor Crouse of Murrayville spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bracewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Burrell and baby spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Geneva Sheppard and Elmer Copley called on Claude Gunn Sunday night.

Miss Stella Covington spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Douglas Whitlock.

Miss Hazel Wood returned home Sunday after a four weeks' visit at Franklin and Bluffs.

Miss Pearl Rousey of Manchester spent Saturday night with Charles Rousey and family.

Dr. J. H. Spencer of Murrayville was called out to see Wayne, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bracewell, Monday.

PIEGAH.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Beekman, Iven Wood and Miss Martha Wood attended a Baptist association at Modesto a part of last week.

The ladies of the Union Baptist Missionary society held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. H. Wood last Wednesday. A large crowd was in attendance and an enjoyable day reported by all.

Mrs. Robinson of Jacksonville is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Coker and other relatives here this week.

Miss Bernice Wood resumed her duties in Jacksonville high school last Tuesday after spending her vacation months at home.

Esther Samples, James Moseley and Hattie Buchanan are attending school in Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Iven Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lukeman spent a part of last week with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ferguson spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Otto Wood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson and daughter Helen were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Curry.

Miss Ferguson of Virden visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wood.

The funeral of Jeremiah Spainhower was held at Union Baptist church Sunday morning in charge of Rev. S. B. McKenna of Alton. Interment was in Union cemetery.

Mrs. Cordia Jordan of Peoria spent last week visiting her father, B. F. Buchanan and family, and other relatives here.

Mrs. George Wood, Jr. and children spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brooks.

Mrs. Rufus Harris continues very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Dorward and daughter of Jacksonville spent a few days last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hardwick of Merrill spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Iven Wood.

Mrs. C. R. Caldwell, Mrs. George Coker and Mrs. Robinson spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Coker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Davenport of Waverly were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davenport.

J. H. Davenport and wife of Jacksonville attended the funeral of Uncle Jerry Spainhower here Sunday.

Henry C. Stewart spent a few days last week in Urbana, attending the fair and making the trip by automobile.

Harrison Davenport was a business visitor in Virden Friday.

Quite a number from here attended the Labor Day celebration at Nichols park Monday.

ARNOLD.

Mrs. Frank Devine and daughter spent a few days recently with Mrs. Devine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coker, near Patterson, Ill.

The Moore school opened Monday 6th, with Miss Cuddy teacher.

Miss Emma Waggoner visited her sister, Mrs. Catherine Magill, Thursday afternoon, she also called on her niece, Mrs. Lloyd Magill.

Mrs. Mabel Holley entertained the Woman's Missionary Society last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Devine and daughter, Mildred, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Lloyd Magill and daughter, Katherine, of Bloomington.

Will Devine spent a few days last week with his brother Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Lindsay and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Davenport and daughter, Hazel, were among those to attend Labor day from our vicinity.

Lloyd Magill was called to Andrew Harris to adjust some engine trouble on Carl West's & Co. engine Monday afternoon.

CONCORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Devine, Mr. Perry Leonard's nieces, Mrs. Geo. Blimling and Miss Eva Gaddis, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moreland and children attended the Labor day exercises in Jacksonville.

Glen Yeck spent from Friday until Sunday at his former home in Brighton.

Walter Wright, of Jacksonville, was in Concord Saturday.

The members of Grace Chapel M. P. church were entertained by Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Cain at the parsonage Friday evening.

Glen Filson went to Franklin Monday on business.

Joseph Wooster, wife and daughter of Beardstown, are visiting A. O. Reams and wife.

There was a very pleasant surprise party given for Miss Kathryn Wenger, Friday evening, by the young people of Concord and vicinity before the departure of this young lady and her mother to spend the winter in Alabama, with Mrs. Wenger's sisters, the Misses Margaret and Julia Woodward, Miss Kathryn Wenger will attend school in Alabama.

Miss Carrie Deitrich departed recently for California to visit the Expositions.

Mrs. Geo. Brown entertained quite a company of young ladies last Tuesday afternoon at her beautiful suburban home for Miss Esther Brown who is soon to become the bride of Daniel Deitrich.

George Hazelwood, Robert and Wade Willard, Jas. Rife were among the throng who attended the Labor day exercises in Jacksonville.

Misses Rose and Nellie Quigg of Jacksonville arrived in Concord Saturday to open their respective schools west of Concord.

Miss Ella Rentschler attended the Chautauqua at Beardstown Sunday.

Many hearts were saddened on hearing of the death of Mrs. Otto Funk, nee Miss Ada Antrobus of Chapin, of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Jacobs, of the firm of Meyer & Jacobs of Jacksonville, was transacting business in Concord Monday.

Roy Scott, Elmie's representative, was in Concord Monday in his automobile.

LITERBERRY.

The ladies aid of the Baptist church met at Crum Villa on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. S. H. Crum and Mrs. D. K. McCarty, hostesses.

After a short business session this program was rendered:

Piano selection—Mrs. Durrell Crum.

Song, "The Danube River"—Mrs. John Daniels and Mrs. J. M. Litor.

Piano Duett—Mrs. Crum and Mrs. Underbrink.

Reading, "The Fall of the Year"—Mrs. D. K. McCarty.

Song, "Tipperary"—The Thompson sisters.

Reading, "The Ministers Helpers"—Mrs. W. E. Murray.

Recitation, "When Papa's Sick"—Little Miss Mildred Underbrink.

Reading, "The Reporter"—Mrs. D. K. McCarty.

A five minute silent conundrum.

Offering.

The Thompson sisters have the thanks of the society for their singing; we heard many compliments on their ability as soprano singers.

Mrs. Murray selected a good subject and is an earnest reader, while the audience gave good attention and very much enjoyed her effort.

Mrs. Durrell Crum, as a pianist, needs no extra mention, for her talent pleases wherever she performs.

Refreshments were substantial and in great plenty, and the waiters were industrious, and everybody was pleased. The offering was \$5.55. Five new members were added to this society. The October meeting will be at the church. The following persons received prizes in the silent conundrum contest: Mrs. W. E. Murray, Mrs. Earl Revorot, Mrs. John Daniels, Miss Annabel Crum, Miss Mildred Underbrink.

George Ennis, wife and mother of Petersburg and John Markwell and wife of Kingman, Kansas visited with S. C. Ennis and wife at Cedar cottage last Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Guy and children, Delbert and Eleanor, of Hastings, Neb., are visiting at Sunny Slope with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murray, Mrs. Guy's parents.

Literberry people are attending the chautauqua at Virginia and pronounce it good.

The ladies of the Baptist church are making big preparations for the annual chicken fry on Thursday, the 9th. The feast will begin at four o'clock p. m. Special efforts are being made for an evening of rare entertainment at the picture show. See it.

Mrs. J. M. Litor of Shady Lawn, Mrs. S. R. Crum of Crum Villa, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murray of Sweet Briar avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Crum of Hill Crest, have been attending the Virginia chautauqua.

Ben Todd Litter gave his free annual ice cream supper on the lawn at Dunlap Heights, Saturday night. A good crowd was present and all had a fine time.

Last Saturday morning a band of blanket Indians appeared on our streets, consisting of Chief Buckhorn, friends seemed to melt away and no

one knew from whence they came or whither they went. We have but one remark to make on the Indian question; if they were a fair sample of our blanket Indians, we are sure that Indians are not as bad as they have been painted. The children were Mildred Underbrink, Eugene Landis Young, Ada Scribner, Willy Scribner, James Roberts Beavers and others.

YATESVILLE.

Gordon Fanner of Ashland visited Sunday at Mr. Wood's and attended meeting here.

Miss Frankie McDaniel of Ashland attended meeting here Saturday and called on some of her old friends.

Mrs. Willard Young and children, Mrs. Edwin Young of Literberry visited Mrs. Yancy last Friday.

Herschel Williams and wife and daughter, Louise, and Mrs. Henry Means spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fanner.

A. C. Yancy of Bloomington visited his parents here Sunday, visiting her son William Holmes here for a few days.

Grandma Holmes of Ashland is

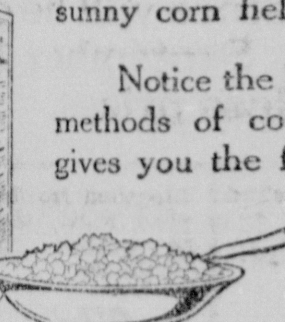


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GIRLS WANTED at Grand laundry. 8-25-1f

PIN BOYS WANTED—Bowling alley. East State St. 9-3-1f

WANTED—Competent housekeeper, Oak Lawn Sanatorium. 9-9-4f

WANTED—Housekeeper at once. Apply 237 1-2 East State. 9-4-1f

WANTED—First class cook. Apply at Oak Lawn Sanatorium. 9-9-4f

WANTED—Cook at Old People's Home at once. Apply in person at the home. 9-9-1f

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cherry's Annex. 9-6-1f

FOR RENT—Houses always. The Johnston Agency. 9-1-1f

FOR RENT—Flat in Cherry Apartments, West State street. 9-6-1f

FOR RENT—One or two unfurnished rooms. 498 E. State st. 9-7-1f

FOR RENT—Eight room house, large barn and garden. Bell phone 645. 9-9-1f

FOR RENT—Modern room and board in private family. Ill phone 543. 9-9-6f

FOR RENT—Nice modern furnished room. 228 West College avenue. 8-31-1f

FOR RENT—Six-room modern flat, 802 East College avenue. Ill. phone 1230. 9-8-4f

FOR RENT—Six room house, 532 S. Prairie St. Apply Gilbert's Pharmacy. 9-3-6f

FOR RENT—No. 120 E. Morton avenue. 6 rooms, 1 door from trolley. H. Stryker. 8-31-1f

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, 1230 South Clay avenue. Gas and electric lights. 9-7-1f

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished in modern home, 506 Jordan St. 9-7-7f

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished in modern home, 516 Jordan street. 9-8-6f

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 402 Hardin avenue. Illinois phone 1388. 9-2-1f

MODERN furnished room for rent, 177 Diamond Court. Illinois phone 50-322. 9-1-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 111 North Kosciusko. Modern house. Ill. phone 50-292. 9-4-1f

FOR RENT—Four room house; furnace heat, good location. Address E. E. care Journal. 9-5-1f

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FOR RENT—8 room house, 524 So. Diamond street. Modern flat, 213 1-2 So. Sandt St. Two store rooms. So. Sandy St. Bernard Gauze, 225 East State St. 9-7-1f

FOR RENT—neat cottage, well located, small barn, good lot, house supplied with kitchen sink, concrete cellar and other conveniences. Terms reasonable. Apply to Johnston Agency. 8-24-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished house, seven rooms, 206 Caldwell St., will rent to right party for about a year—just the thing for a family whose children are in college. Rent cheap. Address X. Y. Z., care of Journal. 8-24-1f

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three good work horses Cherry's Hivery. 9-7-6f

HOUSEHOLD goods for sale 500 W. Morton avenue. 9-7-3f

FOR SALE—Roller and engine. Inquire Grand Laundry. 8-6-1f

FOR SALE—Go-cart in good condition. 308 N. Church. 9-5-4f

FOR SALE—Return ticket to Chicago. Ill. phone 70-45. 70-45

FOR SALE—Baled timothy hay, Stansfield Baldwin, Ill. phone 063. 9-2-1f

FOR SALE—Good, sound horse for general use. Taylor, the grocer. 8-13-1f

FOR SALE—Red Pole Bull. E. S. Vasey, Woodson, Ill. phone. 9-5-4f

FOR SALE—Fox terrier puppies, pure bred. C. D. Sargent, 530 S. East St. 9-5-3f

FOR SALE—Family horse and surry. Bargain if sold at once. Address Horse care Journal. 9-9-3f

FOR SALE—Four passenger Mitchell, good running condition. Skinner-Steinberg Co. 8-17-1f

FOR SALE—A second hand rubber tired, one horse surry, at 749 S. Church street. Ill. phone 1060. Bell 226. 9-8-3f

FOR SALE—Short horn bulls, Poland China girls and boars. Sam W. Dunlap, Bell phone 329-11. 8-29-7f

FOR SALE—Red Wave seed wheat, rye and timothy seed. Cottonwood Seed Farm. Bell phone 624. Illinois phone 50-742. 9-8-1f

FOR SALE—A few good fresh eider barrels while they last. Stansfield Baldwin, Illinois phone 063. 9-1-1f

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LOST and FOUND

LOST—Gold Society pin, Sunday. Reward. Bell 826. 9-8-3f

LOST—Bunch of keys. Return to Julius Hamberg, Stand, North Sandy. 9-7-3f

LOST—Lady's red sweater on road to Distillery. Reward for return to Journal office. 9-5-1f

LOST—1 Lee 36x4 1-2 tire, rim and tire cover on state road Sunday night. Reward for return to Jacksonville Auto Co. 9-8-1f

STRAYED—Black and tan hound dog, with long ears and tail curled over back. Answers to name of "Drum." Had on brass collar. Return to Baldwin Nursery and receive \$15 fruit tree order or liberal reward. Bell 873. 8-29-1f

PROPOSALS for type casting machine State of Illinois. Board of Administration, Springfield, Ill., Sept. 3, 1915. Sealed proposals will be received by the board of administration in its office in the capitol building, Springfield, Ill., up to 3 o'clock p.m. Monday, Sept. 26, 1915, and then there will be publicly opened for furnishing and installing one type casting machine, complete, with accessories, at the Illinois School for the Deaf, Jacksonville, Ill. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Board of administration by Frank D. Whipp, fiscal supervisor. 9-7-6f

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept.93 1/2	.94 1/2	.93 1/2	.93 1/2
Dec.90 1/2	.91 1/2	.90 1/2	.91 1/2
May94 1/2	.95 1/2	.94 1/2	.95 1/2
Corn—				
Sept. . . . .	.71	.71 1/2	.70	.70 1/2
Dec. . . . .	.57 1/2	.58 1/2	.56 1/2	.56 1/2
May . . . . .	.58 1/2	.59 1/2	.57 1/2	.57 1/2
Oats—				
Sept. . . . .	.36 1/2	.36 1/2	.36	.36
Dec. . . . .	.35 1/2	.36 1/2	.35 1/2	.35 1/2
May . . . . .	.38	.38 1/2	.37 1/2	.37 1/2
Pork—				
Sept.	12.00	12.05	12.00	12.10
Oct.	12.17	12.37	12.20	12.35
Dec.	12.59	12.62	12.50	12.57
Lard—				
Sept.	8.07	8.12	8.07	8.10
Oct.	8.12	8.17	8.12	8.15
Jan.	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60
Ribs—				
Sept.	8.05	8.05	8.02	8.02
Oct.	8.15	8.20	8.15	8.15
Jan.	8.35	8.35	8.32	8.35

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Wheat: No. 2 red, \$1.03@1.05; No. 3 red, \$1.01@1.02; No. 4 red, 80@97; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.03@1.04; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.02@1.03; No. 4 hard winter, 95@99c.
Corn: No. 2 white, 74 1/2@75c; No. 2 yellow, 75 1/2@78c; No. 3 yellow, 74 1/2@75c; No. 4 white, 74 1/2@75c.
Oats: No. 2 mixed, 33 1/2c; No. 3 mixed, 33 1/2@34c; No. 3 white, 33 1/2@34c; No. 4 white, 33 1/2@33 1/2c; Standard, 37@37 1/2c.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, Sept. 8.—Wheat: No. 3 red, \$1.00@1.03; No. 4 red, 91@97c; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.03; No. 4 hard winter, 90@94c.
Corn: No. 2, 74c; No. 2 white, 73c; No. 3 white, 72 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 78c; No. 3 yellow, 78c.
Oats: No. 2, 33 1/2c; No. 3, 32 1/2@33c; No. 3, 29 1/2@31 1/2c; No. 3 white, 35@35 1/2c; No. 4 white, 32 1/2@33c.

Peoria Grain Market

Peoria, Sept. 8.—Corn 1/2c lower; No. 3 white, 72c; No. 2 yellow, 75 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 75c; No. 3 mixed, 72 1/2c; sample, 71c.
Oats—Unchanged to 1/4c higher; No. 3 white, 33 1/2c; No. 4 white, 32 1/2c.

WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

WET WEATHER RETARDING WHEAT MOVEMENT STIMULATES BUYERS

Chicago Advance to 1 Cents and Close is Firm — Corn and Oats Suffer Decline.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Wheat advanced in price today owing largely to an erroneous belief that the government crop estimate would prove a help to the bulls. The close was firm 1/2c to 1c net higher with September at 92 1/2c and December at 91 1/2c.

Corn lost 1 1/2c to 1c. Oats lost 1/2c to 1/4c.

The result in provisions varied from 10c decline to a rise of 5c.

Wet weather which retarded the movement of wheat in the northwest as well as in some of the winter crop states, had a good deal to do with stimulating buyers, especially at the outset. The absence of any export buying tended later, however, to cause a moderate setback from the top prices of the session.

Corn weakened owing chiefly to correct predictions that the government report as to corn would suggest the likelihood of a big yield.

High temperatures today throughout the belt operated also to nullify an early advance that resulted from sympathy with wheat. Wet weather prevented any decided lowering of quotations on oats. The government report as to oats was about as generally expected.

Provisions held within a narrow range and showed but little activity. Most of the business appeared to be of a local character.

Chicago Livestock Market

HOOGS.
Receipts 20,000.
Market firm and unchanged, 5c higher.

Bulk of Sales \$6.45 @ 7.65
Light 7.25 @ 8.15
Mixed 6.30 @ 8.10
Heavy 6.05 @ 7.50
Rough 6.05 @ 6.25
Pigs 6.7

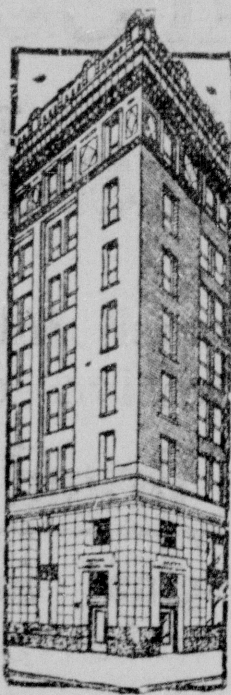
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MATRIMONIAL

Fitzsimmons-Meggison.

A quiet wedding was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Miss Leta May Meggison became the bride of Wilbert Fitzsimmons. Rev. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church, in a very impressive manner, spoke the words that united these young people. The ceremony was said at the home of the pastor on West College avenue.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Meggison, of Woodson. Her education was received in the public schools. She is a member of the Christian church and active in Sunday school work, having for the past two years most efficiently performed the duties of secretary. Her many charming traits of character have won for her a large circle of friends. The bride wore a dress of white silk crepe meteor trimmed with lace and ribbon and carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ball Fitzsimmons. His education was received in the public schools of Woodson and Murrayville and later he spent some time at Eureka college. He is a member of the Odd Fellows lodge, of the Encampment and of the Modern Woodman. For several years he has been a member of the Christian church and active in Sunday school work in its different phases.

Miss Lucile Meggison, a sister of the bride, Miss Agnes Taylor and Mr. George Meggison, a cousin of the bride, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons will go to housekeeping in Woodson, where a home already furnished awaits them. Mr. Fitzsimmons is engaged with his father in the mercantile business. Both young people have a wide circle of friends who will join in wishing them a happy and prosperous married life.

Pieper-Loneragan.

The marriage of Louis A. Pieper, this city, and Miss Mary Frances Loneragan, near Woodson, took place Wednesday forenoon at 9 o'clock at the church of St. Bartholomew in Murrayville, the Rev. Father P. J. Beary officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a large gathering of friends and after completion of the rite, the company went to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Loneragan where a wedding breakfast of five courses was served. After a wedding journey of ten days to Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Pieper will return to Jacksonville to reside. They will be at home to their friends on Hardin avenue after Oct. 1.

The bride and groom were attended by Miss Elizabeth Pieper, sister of the groom, and Thomas Loneragan, brother of the bride. The bride was attired in white crepe de chene, trimmed with white satin ribbon and shadow lace, and wore a tulle veil caught up with orange blossoms. The bridesmaid wore white silk net trimmed with pink satin and had on a picture hat. The bride carried white roses and the bridesmaid, a bouquet of pink roses.

The bride is a young woman of talent and charm, well beloved by friends in large number. Many sincere congratulations will be hers for a wedded life of success and happiness. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Pieper and received his preliminary education at the parochial school here, going later to Chicago and being graduated from the Illinois School of Pharmacy, with the class of 1911. For a number of years he has been a trusted employee of C. Over & Shreve.

Walker-Baston.

Charles H. Walker of Jacksonville, and Mrs. Emma Baston, of Haverhill, Mass., were married Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Springfield by Rev. Mr. Allen, pastor of First Christian church. Mr. and Mrs. Walker arrived on the 8:50 o'clock Chicago & Alton and an informal reception was given them by a few friends and relatives at the home of the groom, 321 Franklin street.

The wedding was the culmination of a courtship of some three years duration. Mr. Walker resided in Massachusetts as a young man and on several occasions of late years has visited his old home. His marriage will be the occasion for many words of congratulation on the part of many friends he has formed in this city. Mr. Walker is employed as a watchman by the Farmers' State Bank & Trust Co.

MORTUARY

Bentley.

Frank Webster Bentley died at his home, 1027 Lincoln avenue Wednesday morning at 9:45 o'clock. He had been ill for the last three weeks. Deceased was born in Fielding, Jersey county, April 3, 1848. He followed the occupation of farming in that country for many years and removed to this country three years ago. He was married in February, 1875, to Miss Florence Marshall. Four children survive as follows: Walter E. Bentley, Indianapolis, Ind.; Mrs. Effie Tanshill, Ashland, Mrs. Neva May Brian, Lowder, and Mrs. Reta Grace Grogan, Ashland. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Thomas Bentley, Oklahoma, Mrs. Rachel Fipps, Texas, James Bentley, New Berlin, and Mrs. Eliza Statler of Texas. He is also survived by nine grandchildren and several distant relatives. Mr. Bentley was a member of the Methodist church for over twenty years. The remains will be taken to Ashland Friday and funeral services will be held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Reta Grogan. Interment will be held in Ashland cemetery. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

Leonard Gregory who is in the employ of the John Harding Plumbing company of Chicago has returned to his work after a visit with his parents in this city.

MAKING PLANS FOR THE 1916 CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM

Directors Have Already Secured a Number of Strong Attractions—Senator Kenyon Bob Seeds and the Saddle Will Return—Maude Ballington Booth to Lecture.

Chautauqua directors are planning for next year's chautauqua. The dates have been fixed from Aug. 18 to Aug. 27, giving a ten days' program as heretofore. The matter of attractions was thoroughly discussed and a number were signed and others are under consideration.

Charles A. Medbury, pastor of University church, Des Moines, one of the largest churches of Christ in the middle west, has been engaged. He lectures on the problems of young men and women and has become a favorite chautauqua speaker.

Robert Seeds is too well known to need an introduction to Jacksonville audiences. He was rained out this year but is coming back to try it again.

Dr. D. A. Evans, formerly pastor of the largest Congregational churches in Springfield, O., is also one of the attractions. He is a magnetic speaker and has given splendid satisfaction.

Dr. Caroline Geisel is a new attraction. She lectures on right living and has appeared on some of the best chautauqua programs the past few years.

T. A. Daly, Italian and dialect poet, and story teller, will be heard in a humorous lecture.

Louis Williams will be seen in a demonstration of the force of electricity.

James E. Burns, "Burns of the Mountains," president of Onedia institute, Kentucky, is another attraction and comes widely heralded as an orator. Recently the leading magazines have given his work much attention. The management feel that he will prove one of the greatest attractions of the chautauqua.

James M. Totten, magician and impersonator in an evening of delightful entertainment, has been secured.

Another great attraction is Maude Ballington Booth, daughter of the late General Booth, of the Salvation Army. She is regarded as one of the strongest women speakers on the American platform.

The Sadders and Miss Wilmer will come in a one day return engagement. They were favorites this year and the management made no mistake in booking them again.

Sam M. Jordan, of Missouri, is coming and has a great lecture with a message everybody should hear.

United States Senator William S. Kenyon, of Iowa, was one of the big attractions of the 1915 chautauqua and his return will be hailed with delight.

The Metropolitan quartet, of New York, Paul Chase, Charles A. Neth, Thomas W. Lane and John Eherly, a great musical attraction with a national reputation in America's musical world has been booked.

The White Hussars famous singing band noted for their excellent entertainment in which there is much fun and good music; the Pierrettes and Pierrots, four musical and novelty entertainers in vocal and instrumental music and chalk talks are other attractions.

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FUNERALS

Jensen.

The funeral service of Mathias Jensen was held from State street Presbyterian church Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock. Dr. A. B. Morey, assisted by the Rev. Howard D. French was in charge. There was a large number of floral offerings and these were in charge of Amanda Schild, man, Mrs. Godfrey, Louise, Frances and Clarabel Jensen.

Interment was in Diamond Grove cemetery and the bearers were John Minter, George Paul, John Schaub, L. Goheen, John R. Kirkman and C. E. McDougall, all members of Matt Star post G. A. R.

Long.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Walter Long were held from the family residence nine miles northeast of the city Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Services were in charge of the Rev. W. R. Johnson, of White Hall. Music was furnished by the choir of Litterberry church. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends to pay a last tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased. There were a number of floral offerings and these were in charge of Miss Mabel Samples, Miss Eva Bader, Miss Ella Jettliff and Miss Hester Willett. Interment was in Jacksonville cemetery and the bearers were: Jed Cox, Earl Cox, Jess Wilson, N. Wilson, Frank Dodsworth and Bert Oroyd.

WANTED.

Twenty-five extra salesmen for the Gigantic Bargain Sale at HOLLERBY'S, Thursday and Friday.

DRILL TEAM WILL GO TO QUIVER LAKE PARK

The drill team of Ilderim Temple No. 62, D. O. K. K., will give an entertainment at Quiver Lake park, Havana, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Following the exhibition drill, the Short family of Murrayville will give a musical program. Quiver Lake park is under the management of the chautauqua association and the performance next Sunday would, in fact, lend credit to any chautauqua program.

PRORATE COURT.

Estate of Washington Graff. Petition for letters of administration de bonis non. Petition heard and allowed, no bond required. Letters of administration de bonis non for purpose of releasing vendor's lien in deed from Intestate to Lewis J. Sims, ordered issued to Charles B. Graff.

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PICNIC DATES ANNOUNCED.

Sept. 9 (Thursday) Baptist church chicken fry at Litterberry.

Oct. 7 (Thursday) Northminster church annual chicken supper.

Sept. 16 (Thursday) Mt. Zion Church cafeteria supper.

HAD ICE CREAM.

In accordance with the annual custom Supt. Charles P. Gillett, of the State School for the Deaf sent down a freezer of ice cream to the city hall Wednesday evening. It is needless to say that it was thoroughly enjoyed and the boys are grateful to Supt. Gillett for his kindness.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born, Sept. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Guy McLaughlin, a daughter, Margela Mae.

Born, Wednesday, September 1, to Mr. and Mrs. George Collinson, an eight pound daughter, Reva Marie. Mrs. Collinson, prior to her marriage was Miss Edith Gruber.



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BOARD OF EDUCATION HELD SPECIAL SESSION WEDNESDAY

Several Apoinments Made on Account of Resignations From Teaching Force—Routine Business Transacted.

The Board of Education met in regular session in the council chamber Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All members were present, President Rodgers, presiding. There was little business of importance transacted aside from the regular routine. As announced in the Journal three new teachers were officially confirmed. They are Florence Spink, Marie Mayer and Norma Dawson. The resignations of Bess Mathers, teacher in the second ward and Kathryn Crane in the third ward were presented and accepted. Supt. Collins was not in attendance at the session as he had a teacher's meeting at the David Prince school.

The Proceedings.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved except as to substitute teachers. Member Clampt moved that the records show that the four substitute teachers receive \$25.00 a month, making a total of \$225 for nine months instead of \$300 per year. Member Wells seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The minutes of the adjourned meeting were read and were approved as read.

The clerk read the resignation of Bess Mathers, teacher of Lafayette school and it was accepted.

The clerk read the resignation of Kathryn Crane, teacher in Franklin school.

The report of Charles B. Graft, treasurer of the board was received and placed on file.

Member Clampt, chairman of the teachers and salaries committee recommended the appointment of the following teachers: Florence Spink, at a salary of \$60, and Marie Mayer, at \$55.

Member Imgrund asked why there was a difference in the salaries. Member Clampt said it was based on their experience. Norma Dawson was named as substitute teacher at \$25 per month.

The board confirmed the recommendations as made.

Member Wells reported work progressing on improvements in Franklin school. Member Imgrund and Rogers made similar reports.

Simeon Fernandes was present and said he was delivering coal to the schools and said he would furnish washed screenings at \$1.86 providing the board would take a car load at a time. It was the only way he could get the price for screenings.

All properly approved claims were ordered paid when funds are available.

Member Wells suggested the appointment of a committee to look after the welfare of the open air school.

THE PRESIDENT APPOINTED MEMBERS IMGRUND, WELLS AND SUPT. COLLINS. ON MOTION THE BOARD ADJOURNED.

WILLIAMS TO RUN AGAINST DUNNE.

Gov. Edward F. Dunne has got to fight for a renomination. There may be more than one candidate in the field against him, but one is virtually certain. He is Congressman at Large D. Elza Williams, of Pittsfield, Pike county, says the Chicago Tribune.

Congressman Williams' decision to get into the battle was reached yesterday, following a conference with several of the anti-Dunne leaders in Chicago, and followed close on the heels of the return of Roger C. Sullivan from the coast.

"There is no question about the downstate district," the congressman said. "I can carry that big, I believe. But the trouble is here in Cook county. If I could be assured of a half way support here, it would be an easy proposition. I will make my decision, whatever it may be, known at the state fair."

Congressman Williams said he would not make his contemplated primary fight on the issues presented by the state administration, but on his own record. He has no intention of attacking the present governor, he said, but intended to seek the nomination as a true blue Democrat and a supporter of the national administration.

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WAS CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARY

Michael McGinnis with S. S. Knoles was celebrating yesterday. The celebration was in honor of his twenty-first year in the store. Just twenty-one years ago Wednesday Mr. McGinnis went to work for Meier Weil. A week afterward Mr. Knoles purchased the store and Mr. McGinnis has been with him ever since. Prior to going to Mr. Weil he worked for a year and a half for Rothschild Bros. In all of his years of service in his present position Mr. McGinnis has never been away from the store for more than three days at a time. This is surely a creditable record and shows that Mr. McGinnis has been a faithful employee.

PLACES WANTED FOR STUDENTS

Places are desired for students to work for board and room while attending Illinois Woman's college. Can recommend a number of excellent young women. Telephone or call Illinois Woman's college, Main Office.

M. E. CONFERENCE BEGINS WORK AT SPRINGFIELD

Address Delivered by Dr. S. H. Bowyer, Formerly of this County—Memorial Address Delivered by Rev. Chris Gatecener—Laymen's Association Will Meet Today.

The ninety second annual session of the Central Illinois conference of the Methodist Episcopal church opened in Springfield Wednesday with a large attendance. Bishop McDowell presided with A. B. Peck of Monticello as secretary. Other officers are: J. F. Smith, Waverly, treasurer; Frank Harry, Atlanta, statistical secretary; J. F. McAnnally, Buffalo, registrar; assistant secretaries C. M. Burton, Moweaqua, and J. L. Sellers, Mansfield, historical secretary; C. W. Hammond, Macon, conference historian; E. W. Ennis, Hillsboro.

The address of welcome to the conference was delivered by Dr. S. H. Bowyer, of Springfield. Dr. Bowyer is a Morgan county product, having been born in the israh neighborhood. He is well known to many Morgan county people.

Announcement was made of the death of Charles Stephens, son of Rev. Robert Stephens of Danville. A committee was appointed from the conference to attend the funeral. The members are Rev. Merle N. English and W. H. Wilder, both former pastors of Centenary church, and Rev. Marcus Shields.

Announcement was made of deaths in the conference the past year and the memorial address was delivered by the Rev. Chris Gatecener.

In the reports of superintendents the Rev. D. F. Shipp for Bloomington district, and the Rev. C. F. Buker, for Mattoon district, were read.

The first day of the conference came to an end with an address by Dr. Edgar Blake of Chicago who deplored the ejection of the Bible from the public schools.

"The flag has been substituted for the Bible. Children are taught allegiance to the stars and stripes, rather than loyalty to the commandments of God," declared the speaker.

The eighth annual meeting of the laymen's association of this conference will meet today.

REGISTRATION AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE.

Registration in all departments of Illinois College including Illinois Conservatory of Music and Whipple academy, September 20 and 21.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank all our friends for their kindness and sympathy during the sickness and death of our loved one.

Walter H. Long and family.

DEVIL'S LAKE PAPER TELLS ABOUT MR. READ'S NEW WORK

Will Succeed J. W. Blattner as Superintendent of North Dakota School For Deaf.

The Devil's Lake North Dakota Journal publishes the following about the appointment of Prof. Frank Read as superintendent of the state school for the deaf at Devil's Lake, N. D.:

"Frank Read, Jr., former superintendent of the Oklahoma school for the deaf, has accepted the superintendency at the North Dakota school made vacant by the resignation of Prof. J. W. Blattner, who has already assumed charge of the Oklahoma school.

"Mr. Read is a native of Illinois and a graduate of the Illinois college, the alma mater of Doctor William Jayne, first governor of Dakota territory, and many other men prominent in the affairs of the country. At college Mr. Read was a member of Phi Alpha society, which Dr. Jayne and others founded some seventy years ago. Despite the difference in their ages this college and fraternal association has built up a close friendship between the two men.

"For twenty-four years Mr. Read was with the Illinois state school for the deaf, both as teacher and in official capacity, with which institution his father was also associated for many years. Two brothers are now teaching in prominent state schools for the deaf.

"As superintendent of the Oklahoma state school for the deaf, Mr. Read, in addition to his regular educational work had general supervision of the construction of an entirely new institution consisting of four modern, fire-proof buildings. He believes thoroughly in home economy, trade and agricultural instruction for the deaf and will advance this line of education at the North Dakota school as the board of control is heartily in accord with it.

"Through attendance, since 1891, at the national gatherings of American instructors for the deaf, and conventions of the oral association to promote the teaching of speech to the deaf, Mr. Read is thoroughly familiar with the latest approved methods of instructing the deaf and preparing them for their future life work. At these annual meetings he has come in close personal contact with the leading educators of the country and is well acquainted with D. F. Barnes and J. W. Blattner, who preceded him as superintendents of the North Dakota school. Mr. Barnes and Mr. Blattner have highly recommended Mr. Read to the board of control as a man of splendid character and thoroughly qualified in all that pertains to the teaching of the deaf. In fact, the strong recommendations received by the board from the president of the government school for the deaf at Washington, D. C., and from numerous educators and public officials in various parts of the country, led the board to feel the North Dakota school is fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Read.

"As the appointment is effective Sept. 1, Mrs. Read and daughter are expected to arrive in Devil's Lake shortly and will assist in getting the school under way for the coming term, which will open on or about Sept. 22, by which time it is expected the many improvements now under way at the institution will be completed. Mrs. Read herself has had a long and successful experience as teacher of the deaf in the Iowa, Kansas and Illinois schools. Mr. Read is a courteous gentleman of high character and ability and his energetic determination to give the deaf children of North Dakota every known opportunity of overcoming their handicap will meet with ready response from the parents of the children and all who are in any way associated with the welfare and the general interests of the North Dakota school for the deaf."

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IS HOLDING SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Mrs. O. E. Tandy, president of the Rebekah State Assembly is making a two weeks' trip in the state, holding special sessions of the state assembly in various cities. On Monday she was in Mattoon where a meeting was held at the I. O. O. F. old folks home. At this meeting there were various fraternal orders represented and discussions were had as to the best methods in conducting such fraternal homes. Mrs. Tandy went from Mattoon to Rockford where she will confer with the printing committee and from there she will go to Springfield where a meeting of the executive committee of the state assembly will be held.

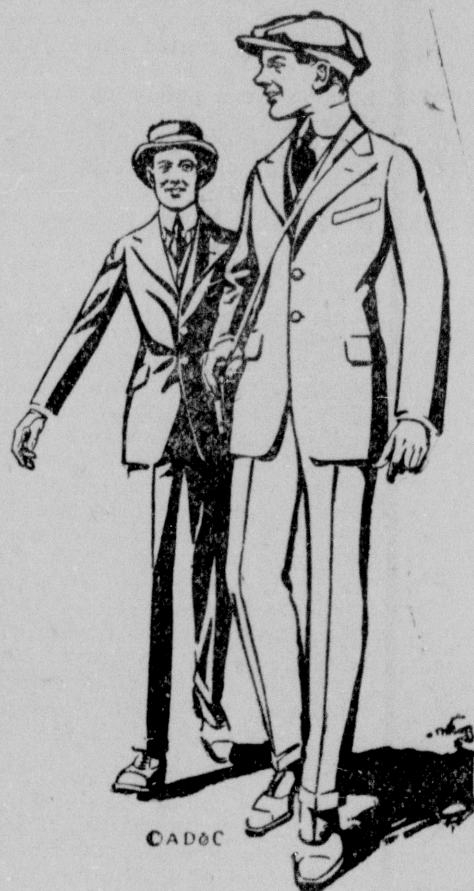
GRAND OPENING, SEPT. 15th ATTEND HERMAN'S GRAND FALL OPENING OF LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS AND MILLINERY WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 15th, EVERYBODY WELCOME.

MRS. BARNES SLIGHTLY HURT IN D. & R. G. COLLISION.

Mrs. C. A. Barnes was slightly injured in a head on collision at Pando, Colo., on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, according to word received Wednesday by F. E. Farrell from her son, James Barnes. Mrs. Barnes and son were on their way from an extended visit in California and other places in the west, when the accident happened. A telegram received by Mr. Farrell Wednesday afternoon mentioned the injury and said arrival at home would be delayed. A second telegram the same evening conveyed the information that Mrs. Barnes was much better and said her son will arrive Saturday.

J. A. Campbell and daughter, Miss Carrie of Merritt were visitors in the city Wednesday.

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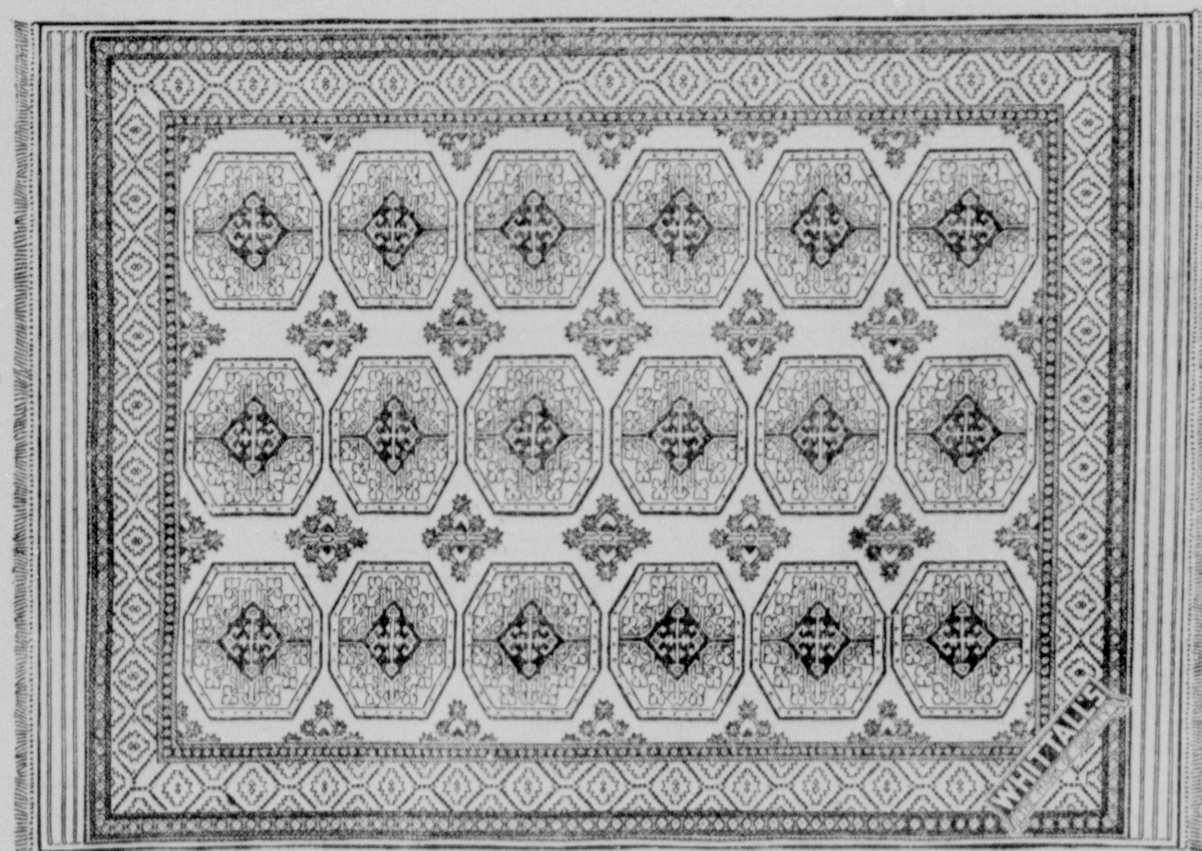
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